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French troops concentrated their assaults about 30 miles south of Medjer-El-Bah against the southwestern tip of the enemy's Tunisian defenses in the mountains at the head of Oued-el-Kef. The mountain tops there average about 2,000 feet and the canyons are deep, steep and narrow, with the French now fighting on the slopes.

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While forecasting that the battles yet to come would be the costliest of the entire Tunisian campaign, Eisenhower disclosed that Lieutenant General George S. Patton, Jr.'s Second United States army corps lost 2,372 men.

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CLYDE TAWATER SHOT TO DEATH

Parole Violator From Morehouse Parish Slain In Longview

LONGVIEW, Tex., April 17.—(P)—A man identified as Clyde Tawater, 35, Louisiana convict wanted for parole violation, was shot twice and killed in the Gregg county courthouse basement Friday night by Deputy Sheriff James Preston.

Sheriff Smith said today Tawater attacked Preston with a knife after threatening J. R. Brown, a military policeman, as Preston, Brown and another deputy sheriff, Folsa Leath, were taking Tawater to jail.

Smith's office received a pick-up order from Louisiana Parole Supervisor W. E. Davidson, Jr., saying Tawater was a parole violator.

Attendants at a night club called officers when Tawater became abusive, Sheriff Smith said. They arrived about the same time Brown did just after Tawater was reported to have called a soldier outside after remarking he didn't like his uniform.

GIVES LIST OF ESSENTIAL JOBS

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(P)—Here is the war manpower commission's list of essential activities:

All service material, including the production of finished products and maintenance and repair of such items, parts and raw materials; also equipment necessary to produce materials and parts.

Production of certain industrial and pharmaceutical chemicals.

All communication services and production of communication equipment.

Agricultural activities designated as essential to the war program.

The processing or manufacture of basic foods, including fresh, canned and otherwise preserved, except specialty and luxury items; also, processing and assembly of foods.

Production of apparel for the armed forces and work clothing.

Production of selected equipment and machinery used in the manufacture of essential products, maintenance of essential facilities, and furnishing of essential services.

Production of all parts necessary to the proper functioning of machinery utilized in the production of essential items.

Construction and repair of military, industrial and community facilities.

Maintenance of all facilities and production of items needed for the transportation of essential items.

Manufacture of products and maintenance of facilities and services necessary for civilian health, safety, morale and security.

Maintenance of all governmental activities concerned with promoting or facilitating the war production.

In addition, the commission, in separate rulings, has held that certain peculiar local needs may require classification of an activity as essential, such as laundries, certain forms of transportation, hotels and restaurants.

ORDER BACKED BY HEAVY PENALTIES

New Regulation Is Made Effective Saturday At Midnight

SHIFTING IS FORBIDDEN

By Charles Molony

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(AP)—Acting under orders from President Roosevelt, War Manpower Commissioner McNutt tonight clamped a modified "job-wage freeze" order on about half of the nation's 52,000,000 civilian workers and made violations a criminal offense.

His order, effective at one minute after Saturday midnight, just four hours after he announced it, was backed by penalties as great as a thousand dollar fine and a year in prison for violations either by employers or employees.

Directly affected are the 27,000,000 persons now employed in essential activities, including agriculture.

These were forbidden to shift to a non-essential employer or from one essential employer to another at a higher salary or wage rate—determined on a pay-per-hour basis—unless they have been out of the first employer's pay for 30 days or more.

An exception was made for shifts from one essential employer to another where either old or new work is to be performed in an area where the war manpower commission has put into effect an "employment stabilization program," often described as a "job freeze plan."

In these cases, the shift may be made for higher pay if the old employer will release the worker or the war manpower commission grants the release itself on the ground that the old employment did not make full-time use of the worker at his highest skill.

Throughout the country, workers employed in non-essential activities can move freely to other non-essential employers or essential employers who offer higher pay.

McNutt told a press conference the restrictions between non-essential and essential workers were made to encourage shifts from non-essential to essential work and to prevent unmotivated shifts by essential workers to new employers, thus halting a serious cause of "manpower waste."

Asked what the order would "do to the old American tradition that every man has a chance to better himself by going to better-paying work," McNutt replied:

"The answer that in one sentence—we've got a war on."

Representing one big step toward carrying out the president's directions to hold the line against inflation,

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JURISDICTION IN WILL CASE UPHELD

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The estate includes stock, bonds and real estate.

Judge Porterie also accepted jurisdiction on the question of whether to set aside a state court order granting the will, which left the estate to John Fa-Kouri, business man who is a son of Marcour and in whose home Marcour died. The judge reversed rulings on other questions of jurisdiction raised by Fa-Kouri's counsel.

Asking that the will be set aside as attorneys representing eight minor children of Marcour's brother, Abouin Marcour, who migrated to Brazil with his brother settled in Opelousas and died also recently. They claim an earlier will left the estate to Abouin, and that a second will favoring Fa-Kouri was unsigned and made after Elias had twice attempted suicide and was in an unsettled mental condition, according to the plaintiffs' petition.

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Healing that the general's headquarters were in the second highest building in town, Cochran volunteered to attack it and went out alone. Flying a P-40 Warhawk, he dropped a 200-pound bomb, and saw the top of the hotel dissolve in smoke and flames.

Writing about the incident, First Lieutenant Howard R. Harris, Maitland, W. Va., said in a letter to First Lieutenant Walter E. Hicks, Mountville, W. Va., that "we never did know if the bomb hit the general, but it at least made them mad because for 10 days in a row our left was either bombed or strafed."

WELSH EXONERATED IN SISTER'S DEATH

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 17.—(P)—To city name near and George W. Welsh, Jr., was exonerated today of charge he battered and choked his pretty sister to death in her bedroom two years ago.

Welsh signed affidavits as the court clerk just reported its verdict of acquittal, then he turned to comfort his mother weeping with relief.

The mother, Mrs. Marie Fleming Welsh, a witness in his defense and his constant companion through the five and one-half hour trial for the slaying, hugged her son with a strong embrace.

The acquitted youngest son of a well-to-do family was charged with the slaying of his sister, Leola Adele, 24, a former University of Kansas City co-ed.

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With the proceeds of a \$1,000 personal insurance policy on the life of their son, Lieutenant Junior Grade, Cherri Anthony Miranne, III, 22, lost in action in the Pacific last January, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miranne bought war bonds.

With money sent them by another son, Lieutenant Junior Grade, Lucien S. Miranne, 24, serving in the Panama Canal zone, they purchased another \$1,250 in bonds.

YOUTH'S GASOLINE RATION IS REVOKED

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—(P)—Sixteen-year-old Charles Favalaro of Metairie, Saturday was believed to be the first person in this state to lose a gasoline ration book through revocation by a local ration board.

Favalaro's book was revoked for 60 days by the St. Bernard parish ration board after he was given a suspended sentence of 30 days on charges of reckless driving.

He is scheduled to appear before the ration board May 24 to determine if the book will be restored to him.

BOND BOX

By Charles P. Manship
(President, Southern Newspaper Publishers' Association)

The secretary of the treasury is asking the American people to put over a second war loan drive of 13 billion dollars—a sum which a few years ago would have seemed fantastic, but today in the light of our global war is very real.

The people of every community must be made to realize their tremendous responsibility on the home front. They must understand, I know they do understand, that the time has come for real sacrifice, and buy as many bonds as they possibly can.

The government has put a distinct challenge up to the people. They will not feel their government in this great hour of need.

TWO AIR SERGEANTS GET SILVER STARS

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(P)—The silver star has been awarded to the two air sergeants for removing burning flares from a grounded bomber under enemy fire and preventing an explosion of the plane's bombs. The war department reported today.

Staff Sergeant Burnell Walker, Hazelhurst, Miss., and Sergeant Perry Doy, 240 E. Lister St., Shreveport, La., ran from their shelter despite gunfire from enemy planes attacking an airfield in north Africa, removed the burning flares from the bomber compartment of the plane, and extinguished the fire.

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While forecasting that the battles yet to come would be the costliest of the entire Tunisian campaign, Eisenhower disclosed that Lieutenant General George S. Patton, Jr.'s Second United States army corps lost 5,372 men in a southern sector.

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JURISDICTION IN
WILL CASE UPHELD

OPELOUSAS, La., April 17.—(AP)—Judge Gaston L. Porterie, after a hearing here, has maintained his federal court's jurisdiction to decide the questioned validity of the will left by Elias Mansour, a Syrian emigrant who began life as a peddler but left an estate estimated at \$150,000.

The estate includes stock, bonds and real estate.

Judge Porterie also accepted jurisdiction on the question of whether to set aside a state court order probating the will, which left the estate to John Fa-Kouri, business man who is a cousin of Mansour and in whose home Mansour died. The judge reversed rulings on other questions of jurisdiction raised by Fa-Kouri's counsel.

Asking that the will be set aside are attorneys representing eight minor children of Mansour's brother, Abidon Mansour, who migrated to Brazil when his brother settled in Opelousas and died also recently. They claim an earlier will left the estate to Abidon, and that a second will favoring John Fa-Kouri was unsigned and made after Elias had twice attempted suicide and was in an unsettled mental condition, according to the plaintiff's petition.

Judge Porterie has set the case for trial beginning May 31.

MIRANNES FAMILY
HELPING WIN WAR

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—(AP)—The Mirannes of New Orleans are the kind of Americans who are winning the war.

With the proceeds of a \$1,000 personal insurance policy on the life of their son, Lieutenant Junior Grade, Cheri Anthony Miranne, III, 22, lost in action in the Pacific last January, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miranne bought war bonds.

With money sent them by another son, Lieutenant Junior Grade, Lucien S. Miranne, 24, serving in the Panama Canal zone, they purchased another \$1,250 in bonds.

NIGHT CLUB OWNER ENTERS JAIL



Burnett Welansky (left), owner of the Coconut Grove night club in Boston where 490 persons lost their lives in a flash fire, enters Charleston state prison after receiving a sentence of from 12 to 15 years after conviction on a manslaughter charge. A court officer accompanies him.

'COURSE IN LAW' 3RD CONFESSION CASE UP MONDAY TAKEN IN DEATH

Five In Mississippi To Be
Tried On Lynching
Charges

HATTIESBURG, Miss., April 17.—(AP)—What federal attorneys have described as a "new course in law" will go on trial here Monday along with five men under the first federal indictment in 40 years in connection with a southern negro lynching.

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2ND WAR LOAN BOND DRIVE
PARADE TO BE STAGED HERE

A huge parade, which preliminary plans indicate will be the biggest ever staged here, will be held next Saturday as a feature of the second war loan bond drive, it was announced yesterday.

The parade, which will be largely military in aspect, will include various army units and both military and civilian bands. It is being arranged by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, whose committee includes Stanley Reid, chairman; O. L. McCleary, Shelby Cate, F. C. McConnell, L. E. Mathis and Wesley Shaffo.

Several companies of cadets and enlisted men from Selman field will participate, as well as all city and parish schools, as well as St. Matthew's parochial school, Northeast Junior college and the Louisiana Training institute. They will be represented by floats and bands.

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CLYDE TAWATER SHOT TO DEATH

Parole Violator From More-
house Parish Slain In
Longview

LONGVIEW, Tex., April 17.—(AP)—A man identified as Clyde Tawater, 35, Louisiana convict wanted for parole violation, was shot twice and killed in the Gregg county courthouse basement Friday night by Deputy Sheriff Gaines Preston.

Sheriff Lonnie Smith said today Tawater attacked Preston with a knife after threatening J. R. Brown, a military policeman, as Preston, Brown and another deputy sheriff, Fonas Leath, were taking Tawater to jail.

Smith's office received a pick-up order from Louisiana Parole Supervisor W. E. Davidson, Jr., saying Tawater left the state without permission. He had been sent to the penitentiary from Morehouse parish.

Attendants at a night club called officers when Tawater became abusive, Sheriff Smith said. They arrived about the same time Brown did just after Tawater was reported to have called a soldier outside after remarking he didn't like his uniform.

TAWATER REJECTED
FOR ARMY SERVICE

BATON ROUGE, La., April 17.—(AP)—State Parole Supervisor W. E. Davidson, Jr., said here today that Clyde Tawater, shot and killed by officers of Longview, Tex., last night had been paroled from the Louisiana state penitentiary about six months ago.

Tawater was paroled to work on a job in Morehouse parish, La., but had been reported traveling to North Louisiana sections, including Shreveport, and in East Texas in violation of his parole terms, Davidson said, and for this reason the Louisiana authorities had asked officers to arrest him.

A few weeks ago Tawater was called up for induction in the army but was rejected and classified as a "psychopathic personality," Davidson asserted.

The parole supervisor added his office had had "direct information" Tawater had gone to Gregg county, Tex.

Clyde Tawater, alleged parole violator from Morehouse parish, who was killed by officers at Longview, Tex., Friday night, was sentenced to 14 years in the Louisiana penitentiary for cattle theft some nine years ago, Parole Officer Louis Meek said here today.

Meek said Tawater, who was sentenced at Bastrop, La., had violated a parole two years ago and had been returned to the state penitentiary, and that this was his second offense. He said he had broadcast a "pick-up order" for Tawater last Thursday.

Meek said Tawater was paroled a second time last September.

Meek said a sister and two brothers of Tawater are serving terms in the Louisiana penitentiary.

COCHRAN PAYS VISIT
TO GERMAN GENERAL

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(AP)—Major Philip Cochran, of Erie, Pa., recently paid a personal visit to a German general to drop a bomb on the general's hotel in a North African town, the war department reported today.

Hearing that the general's headquarters were in "the second highest building in town," Cochran volunteered to attack it, and went out alone. Flying a P-40 Warhawk, he dropped a 500-pound bomb, and saw the top of the hotel dissolve in smoke and flames.

Writing about the incident, First Lieutenant Howard R. Harris, Manassas, Va., said in a letter to First Lieutenant Walter E. Hicks, Moundsville, W. Va., that "we never did know if the bomb hit the general, but it at least made them mad because for 14 days in a row our field was either bombed or strafed."

Various other details will be worked out during the coming week by Mr. Reid and George D. Holland, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and thousands of persons from nearby communities are expected to come here from the spectacle.

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GIVES LIST OF
ESSENTIAL JOBS

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(AP)—Here is the war manpower commission's list of essential activities:

All combat material, including the production of finished products and maintenance and repair of such items, parts and raw materials; also equipment necessary to produce materials and parts.

Production of certain industrial and pharmaceutical chemicals.

All communication services and production of communication equipment.

Agricultural activities designated as essential to the war program.

The processing or manufacture of basic foods, including fresh, canned and otherwise preserved, except specialty and luxury items; also, processing and assembly of foods.

Production of apparel for the armed forces and work clothing.

Production of selected equipment and machinery used in the manufacture of essential products, maintenance of essential facilities, and furnishing of essential services.

Construction and repair of military, industrial and community facilities.

Maintenance of all facilities and production of items needed for the transportation of essential items.

Manufacture of products and maintenance of facilities and services necessary for civilian health, safety, morale and security.

Maintenance of all governmental activities concerned with promoting or facilitating the war production.

In addition, the commission, in separate rulings, has held that certain peculiar local needs may require classifications of an activity as essential, such as laundries, certain forms of transportation, hotels and restaurants.

13 RAIDS IN DAY
MADE ON KISKA

Five Japanese Ships Sunk And
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Submarines

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(AP)—A new peak in the aerial campaign against Kiska—13 raids in a single day—was reported today by the navy along with the sinking of five Japanese ships and the damaging of two more by United States submarines.

The underwater operations against enemy shipping brought to 148 the total of Japanese vessels the navy has announced as sunk in the Pacific. In addition 24 have been probably sunk and 42 have been damaged. Today's communique listed the definite victims as one large supply ship, two medium-sized cargo ships, one large mine layer and one small patrol ship.

Besides these a destroyer and a medium-sized transport were damaged. The communique and the actions took place in "Pacific and Far East" waters.

Both medium and heavy bombers struck 13 times Thursday in the campaign.

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WELSH EXONERATED
IN SISTER'S DEATH

KANSAS CITY, April 17.—(AP)—Twenty-nine year old George W. Welsh, Jr., was exonerated today of a charge he battered and hacked his pretty sister to death in her bedroom two years ago.

Welsh smiled happily as the circuit court jury reported its verdict of acquittal, then he turned to comfort his mother weeping with relief.

The mother, Mrs. Marie Fleming Welsh, a witness in his defense and his constant companion through the five and one-half hour wait for the verdict, buried her face on his shoulder.

The acquittal climaxed a two-week trial in which the state through circumstantial evidence sought to link Welsh with the slaying of his sister, Leila Adele, 24, a former University of Kansas City co-ed.

BOND BOX

By Charles P. Manship
(President, Southern Newspaper Publishers Association)
(Written for the Associated Press and Monroe News-Star-World)

The secretary of the treasury is asking the American people to put over a second war loan drive of 13 billion dollars—a sum which a few years ago would have seemed fantastic, but today in the light of our global war is very real.

The people of every community must be made to realize their tremendous responsibility on the home front. They must understand, as I know they do understand, that the time has come for real sacrifice—and buy as many bonds as they possibly can.

The government has put a distinct challenge up to the people. They will not fail their government in this great hour of need.

ORDER BACKED BY HEAVY PENALTIES

New Regulation Is Made Effective Saturday At
Midnight

SHIFTING IS FORBIDDEN

By Charles Molony
WASHINGTON, April 17.

—(AP)—Acting under orders from President Roosevelt, War Manpower Commissioner McNutt tonight clamped a modified "job-wage freeze" order on about half of the nation's 52,000,000 civilian workers and made violations a criminal offense.

His order, effective at one minute after Saturday midnight, just four hours after he announced it, was backed by penalties as great as a thousand dollar fine and a year in prison for violations either by employers or employees.

Directly affected are the 27,000,000 persons now employed in essential activities, including agriculture.

These were forbidden to shift to a non-essential employer or from one essential employer to another at a higher salary or wage rate—unless they have been out of the first employer's pay for 30 days or more.

An exception was made for shifts from one essential employer to another where either old or new work is to be performed in an area where the war manpower commission has put into effect an "employment stabilization program," often described as a "job freeze plan."

In these cases, the shift may be made for higher pay if the old employer will release the worker or the new employer has a chance to better himself by going to a better-paying work, McNutt replied.

"I'll answer that in one sentence—we've got a war on."

Representing one big step toward carrying out the president's directions to hold the line against inflation,

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PRICES IN CAFES
TO BE REGULATED

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—(AP)—Authority to regulate the prices of food and beverages sold in restaurants and cafes was claimed Saturday by the New Orleans district office of price administration, and proprietors of public eating places were advised to file copies of price lists and menus for the period April 4-10 with the local ration board by May 1.

In announcing the new OPA move, L. E. Frezza, manager of the local office, warned that prices in restaurants and cafes will be watched "closely" and adjustments will be ordered where necessary. He said it is "quite possible" that some establishments can lower their prices without "undue hardship."

At the same time he issued a call for restaurant menus and price lists before May 1. These must show the foods offered and prices charged between April 4 and April 10.

Restaurants were called upon to cooperate with the office of price administration in regulating and reducing prices. If results are obtained voluntarily, Frezza said, it may be possible to avoid fixing rigid price ceilings.

TWO AIR SERGEANTS
GET SILVER STARS

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(AP)—The silver star has been awarded to the air force sergeants for removing burning flares from a grounded bomber under enemy fire and preventing an explosion of the plane's bombs, the war department reported today.

Staff Sergeant Burnell Walker, Hazelhurst, Miss., and Sergeant Percy Doby, 240 E. Lister St., Shreveport, La., ran from their shelter despite gunfire from enemy planes attacking an airfield in North Africa, removed the burning flares from the gunner compartment of the plane, and extinguished the fire.

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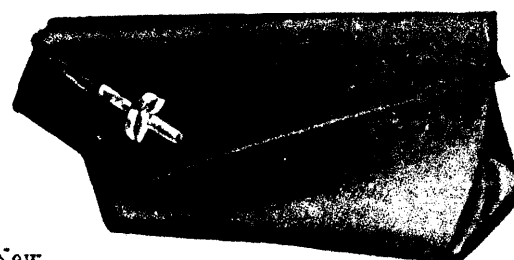
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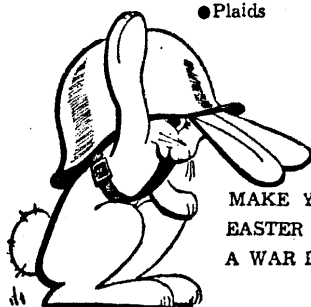
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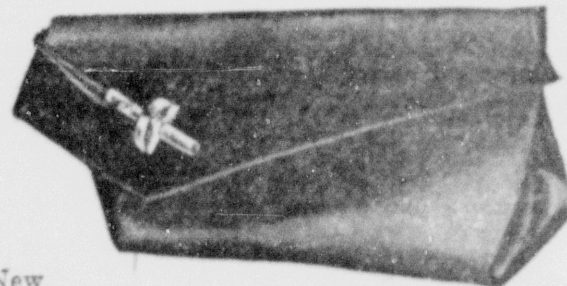
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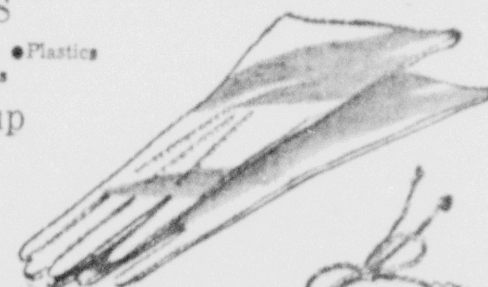
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The 31 members of the Students of Science club of the Calhoun High school have just become affiliated with the Science Clubs of America, sponsored by the Science Service, institution for the popularization of science.

The local group is one of thousands belonging to the national body. Clubs in every state, foreign country and possessions are affiliated, and all carry out programs of study in science.

Not only do the members of the S. O. S. club engage in investigations in different scientific studies, but they are contributing in a major way to training for participation in America's fight for freedom by making an extensive study of reforestation. They also took an active part in the recent Red Cross drive by contributing \$11.

Members are urged to take special projects in nutrition, soy bean culture, synthetic rubber study and studies of model airplanes, wood carving, cotton and its products, collecting different specimens of flowers, leaves and wood.

Miss Mabel Reeves, sponsor of the S. O. S. club, expects that the assistance of science service will greatly increase the club's efficiency and will offer members many new serviceable projects.

The club will soon hold an assembly program, when the work of the club for the year will be reviewed and projects of the students will be on exhibit.

G. S. Manning, principal of the Calhoun High school, has expressed approval of the club's plan "Anything that can be done to train young scientists is a direct contribution to the war effort."

Officers of the club are: Frances Batten, president; Dean Hart, vice president; Sara Beth Brownlee, secretary; Jack Abbott, treasurer; Milton Tetterton, publicity.

18 EMPTY HOUSES IN BATON ROUGE

BATON ROUGE, La., April 17.—(AP)—A survey made by local postmen showed that 18 empty houses in this city were available for the housing of military personnel.

Sanitation in Cafes Improved

BATON ROUGE WIDOW BUYING BONDS FAST

BATON ROUGE, La., April 17.—(AP)—Mrs. J. H. Jones, widow of a soldier, is buying war bonds at a rapid rate.

JONES WANTS GOOD POST-WAR STANDARD

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—(AP)—Sewing has become a standard occupation for the women of the city, as they prepare for the post-war standard of living.

Just Received Big Shipment Of Social Stationery

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STUDENTS STUDY SCIENCE



Shown above are the members of the Students of Science club of the Calhoun High school. The group was recently affiliated with the Science Clubs of America. Members of the club in the picture are the following: Bill Humble, Erlene Baxter, Bonnie Jean Goison, J. B. Nolan, Jack Johnson, Marvin Malone, Dean Hardy, Marie Reeves, Sue Mitchell, Mary Virginia White, Louise McElroy, Betsy Humble, Malinda Russell, Lydia Ross, Wilfordene Warren, Aubrey Bryant, Jack Camp, Billie Smith, Frances Barnes, Mildred Tetterton, Janelle Finkler, Billie Griggs, Nettie Joe Thompson, Alene Hordley, Sara Beth Brownlee, Harry Hardy, Milton Frost, and Jack Avant. Other members not shown in the picture are: Emma Lee Audis, Dorothy Calhoun, Patsy Camp and Vera Hathaway.

SOLDIERS WATCHING WAR PLANT SYMBOL

DETROIT, April 17.—(AP)—Eighty soldiers watching war equipment roll from assembly lines of Detroit's arsenal of "Democrats" were told by a United Automobile Workers (U. A. W.) official tonight that their visit was "the unity of purpose of our country's winning team-workers and soldiers, sweat and brains."

Walter P. Reuther, U. A. W. C. I. O. vice-president, speaking at a banquet for the soldiers, told that "the close understanding between soldier and war worker which we are trying to develop will be one assurance that we will win the war and win the peace that follows."

The soldiers, who came from the 888th Central Postal Directory, Indiana, came to Detroit as guests of the U. A. W. for a tour of the city of war plants. A group was taken to the Ford Motor Co. plant, where they saw the production of cars and trucks. The soldiers were then taken to the U. A. W. C. I. O. headquarters, where they saw the production of war equipment.

TWO ARE FINED FOR IMPROPER PARKING

COULD ADAM EAT THE APPLE WITH STOMACH ULCER PAINS?

BEAUTY'S OWN

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TICKET SALE OF OPERA STARTED

'Naughty Marietta' Promises To Make Hit With Public

Tickets for the Monroe performance of "Naughty Marietta," Louisiana State university opera, will go on sale Tuesday, April 20, according to Dallas Goss, instructor at the Ouachita parish unit of the L. S. U. Alumni association and chairman of the local opera committee.

War priorities on manpower played its part in production selection this year, but the choice of the American work was also motivated by the wish to present an opera of national origin, setting and flavor. Ralph Errolie, assistant professor of music and opera director, said, "Naughty Marietta"

chased at Hotel Virginia, the local college bookstore, Neville, Ouachita parish and St. Matthews High schools of Monroe and the Crosley grade school, West Monroe.

All seats are reserved though tickets range in price, Mr. Goss said.

The opera will be presented at the Neville High school Wednesday evening, April 28, at 8:15, announced B. S. Hamner, president of the Ouachita parish unit of the L. S. U. Alumni association and chairman of the local opera committee.

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has an All-American and an all-campus cast.

The general theme of the opera, which has a mid-eighteenth century Louisiana setting, is the coming of the Casquette girls sent by the king of France to marry Louisiana colonists.

Tenn. will sing the title role when "Naughty Marietta" appears in this city. A. E. Wilder, alumnus of the school of music now teaching at Southeastern Louisiana Institute in Hammond, has the tenor lead as Captain Richard Warrington for all performances. Other members of the cast for Monroe include: Adah, Rose Lee Grace; Lazette, Frances Thomas; Nanette, Margaret Stuck; Governor, Giles Gray; Blake, Edward Weiss; secretary, Ellis N. Elsey; silas, Roy Odum; etienne, Lieutenant Sharp; Rodolfo, Lieutenant Walter Leo Goggin. Both

Lieutenant Sharp and Lieutenant Goggin are stationed with the army administration school at L. S. U.

WILL STAGE DRIVE FOR DENTAL HEALTH

BATON ROUGE, La., April 17.—(AP)—A state-wide campaign for dental health, part of the high school victory corps physical fitness program, will get under way here soon, state department of education officials said today.

About 85 per cent of all school children need dental correction, they asserted.

Cooperation of the Louisiana State Dental society and the state department of health has been obtained. Dentists have offered free examinations if done in their offices, and have offered "priority" in appointments to members of the victory corps.

Special emphasis will be given, members of the department said, to the treatment of high school seniors and other students 17 years of age or over. However, complete records will be kept of dental examinations of all pupils.

The lakes and streams of Pennsylvania contain 160 varieties of fish.

Tips For Tired Eyes

1. Hold reading matter about 14 inches from face. 2. Avoid reading in poor light. 3. After driving, exposure to dust or wind or when eyes are overworked, bathe them with lukewarm, quickly flowing water. 4. Use eye drops. 5. Use eye ointment. 6. Use eye cream. 7. Use eye powder. 8. Use eye lotion. 9. Use eye gel. 10. Use eye cream. 11. Use eye powder. 12. Use eye lotion. 13. Use eye gel. 14. Use eye cream. 15. Use eye powder. 16. Use eye lotion. 17. Use eye gel. 18. Use eye cream. 19. Use eye powder. 20. Use eye lotion. 21. Use eye gel. 22. Use eye cream. 23. Use eye powder. 24. Use eye lotion. 25. Use eye gel. 26. Use eye cream. 27. Use eye powder. 28. Use eye lotion. 29. Use eye gel. 30. Use eye cream. 31. Use eye powder. 32. Use eye lotion. 33. Use eye gel. 34. Use eye cream. 35. Use eye powder. 36. Use eye lotion. 37. Use eye gel. 38. Use eye cream. 39. Use eye powder. 40. Use eye lotion. 41. Use eye gel. 42. Use eye cream. 43. Use eye powder. 44. Use eye lotion. 45. 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STUDY SCIENCE IN HIGH SCHOOL

Club In Calhoun Becomes
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The 31 members of the Students of Science club of the Calhoun High school have just become affiliated with the Science Clubs of America, sponsored by the Science Service, institution for the popularization of science.

The local group is one of thousands belonging to the national body. Clubs in every state, foreign country and possessions are affiliated, and all carry out programs of study in science.

Not only do the members of the S. O. S. club engage in investigations in different scientific studies, but they are contributing in a major way to training for participation in America's fight for freedom, by making an extensive study of reforestation. They also took an active part in the recent Red Cross drive by contributing \$31.

Members are signed up to take special projects in nutrition, soy bean culture, synthetic rubber study and studies of model airplanes, wood carving, cotton and its products, collecting different specimens of flowers, leaves and wood.

Miss Mabel Reeves, sponsor of the S. O. S. club, expects that the assistance of science service will greatly increase the club's efficiency and will offer members many new serviceable opportunities.

The club will soon hold an assembly program, when the work of the club for the year will be reviewed and projects of the students will be on exhibit.

G. S. Manning, principal of the Calhoun High school, has expressed approval of the club. He stated: "Anything that can be done to train young scientists, is a direct contribution to the war effort."

Officers of the club are: Frances Barnes, president; Dean Hardy, vice-president; Sara Beth Brownlee, treasurer; Jack Avant, secretary; Mildred Tedeton, reporter.

18 EMPTY HOUSES IN BATON ROUGE

BATON ROUGE, La., April 17.—(AP)—A survey made by local postmen showing only 18 vacant houses in this city will be sent by the chamber of commerce to the national housing administration's regional office in Dallas, Tex.

A census bureau report recently gave the number of vacancies here as 300, and the chamber of commerce has written to ask the location of the empty houses.

Members are considering placing small signs on highways leading into the city showing the population as 102,233. The present signs carry the figure of 35,000.

SANITATION IN CAFES IMPROVED

The drive which is being conducted by Selman field headquarters to improve sanitary conditions in all eating establishments in the vicinity of Monroe has met with wholehearted cooperation. Kitchens are being cleaned up, paint is being applied to dingy rooms and improved dish-washing facilities are being installed, Selman officials reported Saturday.

However, there are still a few who have failed to meet the minimum military standards and they have been warned that they must clean up or it will be necessary to place them "off-limits" for military personnel, it was stated.

BATON ROUGE WIDOW BUYING BONDS FAST

BATON ROUGE, La., April 17.—(AP)—A war widow here, Mrs. Isabel Tootle, is investing half her entire salary in war bonds to be sure of revenge against the Axis.

Her husband, W. E. Tootle, lost his life on the Standard Oil tanker W. L. Steed when it was torpedoed by a submarine, second tanker reported sunk in the war.

Mrs. Tootle has for the past three months been employed in the general service department of the Standard Oil company here, setting aside half her earnings for the government war efforts.

JONES WANTS GOOD POST-WAR STANDARD

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—(AP)—Seeking "an economical standard comparable to that they now enjoy as members of the armed forces," for Louisiana service men after the war, Governor Sam H. Jones spoke here last night at a dinner of the Louisiana Homestead Building and Loan league. Governor Jones asserted that about 150,000 service men and 100,000 war workers will be returned to normal civilian life in this state after the war and that their assimilation is "one of the greatest problems confronting the nation."

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STUDENTS STUDY SCIENCE



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SOLDIERS WATCHING WAR PLANT SYMBOL

DETROIT, April 17.—(AP)—Eighty soldiers watching war equipment roll from assembly lines of Detroit's "arsenal of democracy" were told by a United Automobile Workers (C. I. O.) official tonight that their visit symbolized "the unity of purpose of our country's winning team—workers and soldiers, sweat and bravery."

Walter P. Reuther, U. A. W.-C. I. O. vice-president, speaking at a banquet for the soldiers, told that "the close understanding between soldier and war workers which we are trying to develop will be one assurance that we will win the war and win the peace that follows."

The soldiers—non-commissioned officers from Camp Atterbury, Indiana—came to Detroit as guests of the union for a two-day tour of war plants. A month ago these non-coms served as guides when Reuther and 250 other U. A. W.-C. I. O. representatives spent three days at the Indiana training camp with units of the 83rd and 92nd divisions.

Each soldier on arrival here was given a \$10 bill for spending money, tickets to tonight's banquet and a dance at which 200 girl war workers were hostesses. Expressing the union's appreciation for last month's visit at Camp Atterbury, Reuther tonight presented a \$10,000 check for the soldiers' recreation fund to Colonel Rinaldo Van Brunt, who represented Brigadier General Frank W. Milburn, commander of the 83rd division.

Colonel Van Brunt said the exchange of visits would "mark an additional step in the cooperation between war production workers and the armed forces."

TWO ARE FINED FOR IMPROPER PARKING

LAUREL, Miss., April 17.—(AP)—Billy Ray Hankins, driver of an automobile, and James Leroy Dykes, operator of a motor truck, were charged by Officer Elzey Drennan of the Mississippi highway patrol with illegal parking on the highway and were fined in the court of Justice of the Peace Joe Beech at Ellaville, the patronian reported.

All deaths in Jones county highway accidents, with one exception, during the past year resulted from improper parking.

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TICKET SALE OF OPERA STARTED

'Naughty Marietta' Promises
To Make Hit With
Public

Tickets for the Monroe performance of "Naughty Marietta," Louisiana State university opera, will go on sale Tuesday, April 20, according to Dallas Goss, instructor at Northeast Junior college and chairman of the ticket sales committee. They may be purchased at Hotel Virginia, the local college bookstore, Neville, Ouachita parish and St. Matthews High schools of Monroe and the Crosley grade school, West Monroe.

All seats are reserved though tickets range in price, Mr. Goss said.

The opera will be presented at the Neville High school Wednesday evening, April 28, at 8:15, announced B. S. Hamner, president of the Ouachita parish unit of the L. S. U. Alumni association and chairman of the local opera committee.

War priorities on manpower played its part in production selection this year, but the choice of the American work was also motivated by the wish to present an opera of national origin, setting and flavor. Ralph Ervold, assistant professor of music and opera director, said, "Naughty Marietta"

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ful reading of "How to Win Friends and Influence People" might have benefitted Garbo's career. Anyway, Monty Woolley doesn't have to worry about disposing of his old razor blades. Girl with a Tiffany air: Ruth Hussey. When it comes to screen acting, Bette Davis has plenty on the "bawl."

The Hollywood Parade: Ann Southern, cynic. Miss Southern admits she's been disillusioned about screen success ever since she discovered that fans no sooner put an actress on a pedestal than producers put her on a diet. . . . George Murphy, complex-nursed. To the outside world, Mr. Murphy maintains a pose of impeccable dignity; to his intimate friends, he confesses that the dignity is a false front which hides but cannot stifle, a burning yen to slide down bannisters. . . . Jinx Falkenburg, inspiration to American Youth. After seeing Miss Falkenburg in a form-fitting, blue-colored evening gown, even the grown men who were for a recent Army camp tour, 12-year-old Tommy Cook turned to his mother and wistfully observed, "Gee mom—I hope they make girls like that when I grow up."

Jack Wyatt is getting chuckles with her account of a Victory gardening adventure. On the vacant lot between her home and the house next door, she planted a sizable patch of peanuts. Late, with the plants nearing maturity, several have been uprooted each day. Last week, she reports, she caught the marauder, the act. It was the neighbor's pet goat. "What gets me," splutters Miss Wyatt, "is the animal's calm insolence. Not only did he uproot my best plants and eat the goobers, but after he'd had his fill, he went home and flavored his meal by licking a salt block!"

Lunched with Guy Kibbee at Lakeside the other day. He'd just returned from a tour of army camps in Texas and Oklahoma—territory that he covered, town by town, some forty years ago as a teen aged player with an obscure stock company. I asked him if he'd found travel conditions changed. "There was one great difference," Kibbee laughed. "When I was put off of a train on this trip, it was to give priority to Uncle Sam. In the old days, it was to give priority to anyone who could pay for a ticket!"

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The idea of "priority airmail" probably won't get any place. It has been proposed to lighten the airmail overburden now thrown on the commercial airlines, the suggestion being based on giving preferential handling to news matter, war business papers, bank communications and rush government official mail, possibly designating the priority mail by an extra stamp for which there would be an extra charge. But postal authorities are against it. What they fear is that everyone would want the priority airmail service, so they'd be right back in the jam they started from.

Love Across the Sea: The city's 69-cent cable messages, which can be sent to an soldier overseas by the mere transmission of a code number, have some interesting gradations on love notes. The scale runs like this:

- 26. Greetings
- 31. All my love
- 32. All my love dearest
- 42. Kisses
- 43. Love and kisses
- 44. Fondest love and kisses
- 45. Well

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BY HENRY McLEMORE

LONDON, England—One thing the English must have nothing to do with in the post-war planning for a better world is heating. Let them have their say and their vote on boundary lines, armament, civil aviation, colonies and the like but when the subject of how to keep the peoples of the world warm comes up, it would be best to ask Messrs. Churchill, Eden and the members of their staff to retire to the cloakroom and have a jolly go at darts or furling their umbrellas for an hour or so.

Heating must be left to us and to China and Russia because the English know nothing about it. To them it is still just as much of a wondrous, magic thing as it was to the cavemen who first struck pieces of flint together and produced a flame. The English look upon a fire with awe. They are quite sure, and there is nothing quite as quite sure as a quite sure Englishman, that there isn't enough fire in the world to last very long and that it must be hoarded as a miser would hoard coins.

This column is prompted by the fact that recently we have had what Vermonsters call "a cold snap." It has been dark cold, with a whistling wind, no sun and clouds that walked up and down the streets as if they had the rights of pedestrians. Prior to this cold snap, it had been warm and springlike, but do you think the English paid any attention to this change in climate? Not a bit.

The seasons are wanted on the English. It is a wonder that Mother Nature hasn't become disgusted long before this and ceased to give the English a winter, spring, summer, autumn and fall. They recognize none of them. Then this cold snap arrived the English didn't add a lump of coal to the fire or put on an extra coat. They went right ahead as if nothing had happened, as if they were superior to any of Nature's quips.

It makes it tough on a visitor to England, this scorn of the elements. Consider my own little apartment. It has as its one and only heating device an electric grill, stuck so far back in the wall that a man in the next flat was decent enough to offer

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Sunday School Lesson For April 25

Text: John 20:1-17

By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

(Editor of Advance)

All four gospels tell the story of the resurrection of Jesus, and thoughtful readers of the Scriptures should not read or study any single one without comparing it with the others. An outstanding impression will probably be of the variety in detail, although all the accounts agree on the central fact. The differences in the stories are important because they entirely dispose of the idea that the story of the resurrection could have been invented or could be the figment of anyone's imagination.

Peter says in his second Epistle (1:16): "For we have not followed cunningly devised fables, when we made known unto you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but were eye-witnesses of his majesty."

One thinks of that in connection with the story of the resurrection, for if this triumphant story of the rising of Jesus from the dead had been in any sense a "cunningly devised fable," surely those who invented or recorded it would have been very careful in the way they told the story with complete details of detail.

Of the account of the resurrection in John's Gospel, which constitutes our lesson, it may be said that it is very rich in its record of personal experience and in the vividness with which it narrates the effect of the resurrection upon the early visitors to the tomb.

It is predominantly the story of Mary Magdalene, the woman who loved her Master with deep gratitude

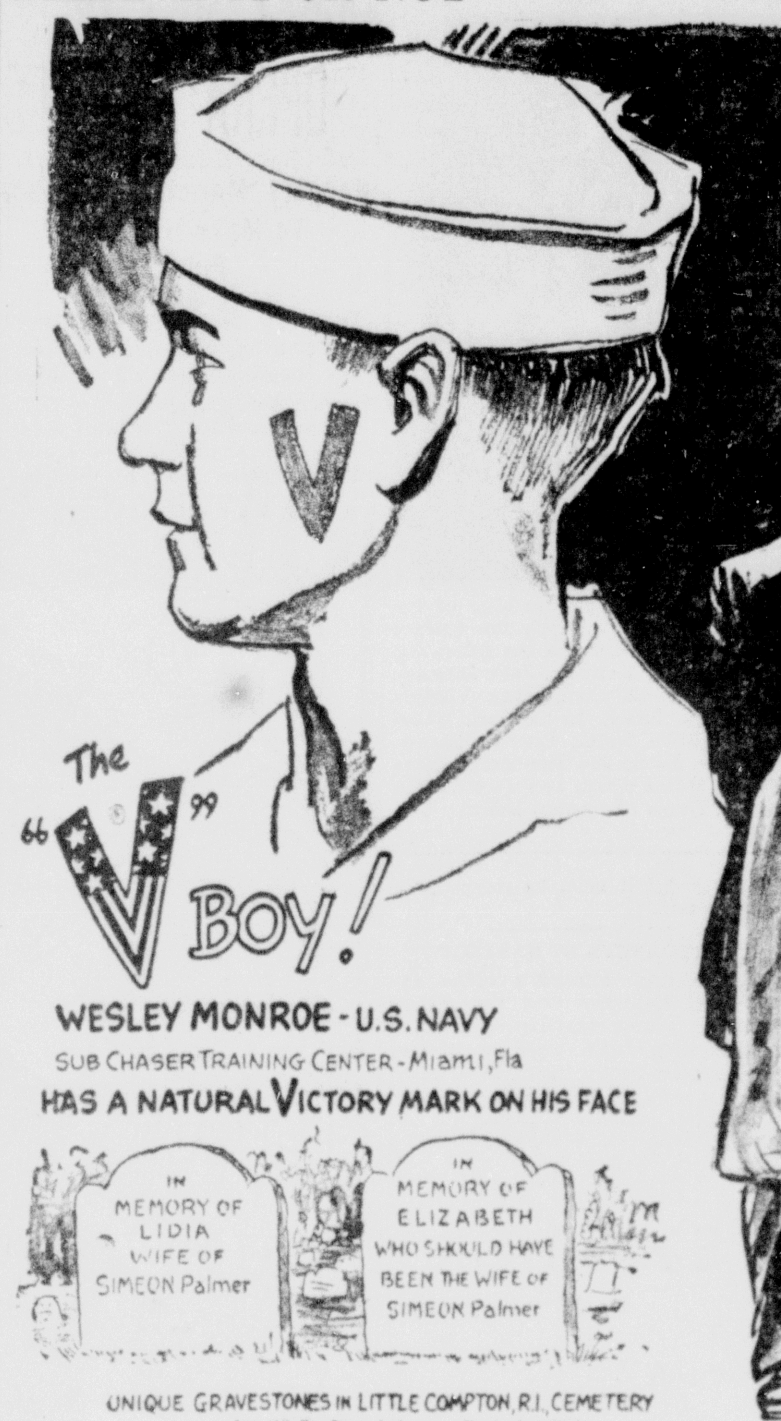
and intensity, who loved Him so deeply that she had come early in the morning to visit His tomb. When she found the stone rolled away from the mouth of the sepulchre, she was fully of surprise and she came running to Simon Peter and to the other disciples who were looking for the body of the apostle John, greatly troubled, and telling them that the Lord's body had disappeared.

Peter and John ran quickly to the tomb. John stooped down and looked in, but Peter with his impulsiveness went into the sepulchre and found the linen cloths lying there and the napkin that had been about the Master's head wrapped in a place by itself.

The record of the action of the two disciples is somewhat puzzling. We are told that they believed, though they had not understood the sayings of Jesus that He must rise again from the dead. But for some strange reason they went off to their home, although Mary remained at the door of the tomb, weeping. Why did Peter and John go home? Did they anticipate meeting with the Master there? It is quite possible that if He were living, He would make His way to their dwelling.

Mary, with her love and loyalty, could not so easily leave the place, and stooping down to look into the tomb, she was rewarded when she had the vision of the angels, and as she turned she saw Jesus Himself, standing there, although she did not know Him. It was when He spoke her name, Mary, that He was revealed to her.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT



EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON
ALL ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY
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IN WASHINGTON

By Peter Edison
(Monroe Morning World Washington Correspondent)

Office of Price Administrator Prentiss M. Brown's "typical housewife" is having political brickbats thrown at her already. Said Republican Senator Harlan John Bushfield of Miller, S. Dak., "I know her. She's from my state, and if she ever lost her own opinion she'd be paralyzed. She used to be Democratic national committee woman."

Cracked Democratic Senator Scott W. Lucas of Havana, Ill., "If she'd been a Republican national committee woman I suppose she'd have been all right."

The lady in question is Mrs. Philip Crowley of Huron, S. Dak., who was brought into the OPA to review all price and rationing orders and make sure that they made sense and could be understood by the average woman. In bringing Mrs. Crowley into the OPA setup, however, Administrator Brown went out of his way to present her as the typical housewife and nothing more.

Mrs. Crowley used to sign her name Leone Crowley. OPA was afraid that might identify her with Leo Crowley, alien property custodian, therefore suggested she start using her husband's given name of Philip.

Price Administrator Brown has indicated to the senate agriculture committee that he will enlarge his "typical" department in the near future. In addition to Typical Housewife Crowley, Brown has asked farm lobby leaders Ed O'Neal and Jim Patton to nominate "typical farmers" to sit in OPA councils, maybe to be joined later by typical stockkeepers and other such typicals, all of whom would try to keep price and rationing procedure from going haywire.

Cookbook Note

A couple of months ago, the army announced it was publishing "The Dehydrated Foods Cooking Manual," the first American cookbook to deal exclusively with recipes for preparing dehydrated foods—apples, beans, cabbage, eggs, milk, potatoes, etc.—and even how to make them into pies, cakes and puddings. The text was prepared by the Quartermaster corps, but before any copies of the book got out, all were recalled and presumably destroyed. Seems they forgot to edit the book very carefully and were afraid someone might get a bellyache as result of a typographical error. But the book will eventually be issued, with multiple revisions.

The idea of "priority airmail" probably won't get any place. It has been proposed to lighten the airmail burden now thrown on the commercial airlines, the suggestion being based on giving preferential handling to news matter, war business papers, bank communications and rush government official mail, possibly designating the priority mail by an extra stamp for which there would be an extra charge. But postal authorities are against it. What they fear is that everyone would want the priority airmail service, so they'd be right back in the jam they started from.

Love Across the Seas

The army's 69-cent cable messages, which can be sent to any soldier overseas by the mere transmission of a code number, have some interesting gradations on love notes. The scale runs like this:

26. Greetings
27. Love
31. All my love
32. All my love dearest
42. Kisses
43. Love and kisses
44. Fondlest love and kisses
45. Well

Vice-President Henry Wallace's Washington staff in board of economic warfare is getting a big kick out of the boss's triumphal tour through Latin America. Because he didn't want to make it a "dressy" tour filled with functions, and because he

By Ripley

WHERE ARE ALL BABIES BORN WITH MUSTACHES?
THE WORD MUSTACHE ORIGINALLY MEANT THE FACE BETWEEN THE NOSE AND UPPER LIP



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Radio Program

SUNDAY, APRIL 18

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT, 2 Mins. for MWT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to correction by network made too late to incorporate.)

12:30—Red Cross Dramatic Series—the Stars From the Blue, a Concert—nbc
1:00—The Bluebird, a Musical—nbc
1:30—The Bluebird, a Musical—nbc
2:00—The Bluebird, a Musical—nbc
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12:00—The Bluebird, a Musical—nbc

New York Day By Day

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL
Title Reg. U. S. Patent Office

NEW YORK—Diary: Hours wandering up and down Madison and Park avenues, and wondering where the realty owners are getting the money for taxes, what with thousands of stores empty and upper floors as well. . . . Thence over to Times Square in the evening, and joined the crowd that seems to increase in density night by night. There is a strange quality to the gaiety in these throngs, especially on Saturday nights. They seem to have one chief urge: to spend and spend. . . . Indeed, there is a weird sort of prosperity about, and it must have something to do with what Mr. Roosevelt called "fool's gold."

Many readers write in to say that Edwin C. Hill is broadcasting news comments, but on a station that I do not get. Glad to hear he's still at it; I always liked his style. . . . and Eldene Diamond, of San Diego, wants to know about the origin of the hamburger and the hot dog. Well, I've always supposed the hamburger originated in Hamburg and the frankfurter, in recent times called hot dog in America, in Frankfurt, both in Germany. It seems likely that they were devised to use up some of the non-exportable portions of the meat. But I wouldn't know any more than that about them.

Dog owners in our neighborhood are finding it necessary to give up some of their own ration points in order to get dog meat. Those who have been abroad are telling us that in England each dog has a ration book, and is entitled to a certain amount of meat on it. I have heard suggestions that the ASPCA take up with our authorities the idea of getting similar arrangements here.

Such ediments as pork kidneys and livers and beef hearts have almost disappeared from shops outside of Harlem. We have paid around 30 cents a pound for whatever items of this kind we could get, lately.

True, there are good dog foods, dried, in packages. But an old dog who has been raised on meat doesn't always take kindly to a change in diet. Our Jones, the young cocker, likes certain dried foods, especially when my wife prepares them with juices left from cooking.

But Captain Kidd will leave his wartime dog-food dinner and go to the refrigerator, where he will sit up and cry sulkily. He is not a cry-baby, either.

We dog-owners are wondering whether the war can't be won and still let us come through with our dogs, all humanely fed.

If it takes that we must kill our dogs should be struck to morale, at home and in the ranks. A good many of those boys out there are looking forward to a kindly greeting from Rover when they come home.

Horse meat is available part of the time in some parts of town, at a cost of from 15 to 25 cents a pound. Most of our neighbors buy it of their veterinarians, when they can get it.

I had a talk with Captain Harry Salter, of the army special services the other day. Harry used to have a swing band on the air. He played for Bobby Lobby, among other shows. I remember correctly.

Harry was all steamed up over a set of musical publications called Hit Kite. It's a plan to get late hits, as well as more standard old songs, into the hands of the service men, so that they can all sing. There is stout music for the leaders of the groups, and there are little leaflets bearing the words, for all the men. All published by the military authority.

"The army wants the men to sing," said Salter. "It's good for morale. Twiddling thumbs in spare time is no good."

(Released by McNaughton Broadcast, Inc.)

Q—Where does Africa get its name?
A—From the Berber name—Ifriqia or Ifrigia—applied to Tunisia in ancient times.

Q—What is a carded ship?
A—A ship common and in time of war to exchange prisoners of hostile powers or to carry proposals from one to the other. With the exception of a single gun for making signals, no arms, ammunition or materials of war are carried aboard.

Q—Are men with dependent children being drafted now?
A—Not yet. Local boards are under orders not to take such men until they get different instructions from Washington.

Q—What belligerent country has been kindest to movie stars, playwrights, actors and authors?
A—Soviet Russia, which has not conscripted them, feeling that their work is important in keeping up morale of soldiers and civilians alike.

Q—What is the longest time ever taken for a fall in bathing, or log rolling?
A—Alan Stewart whittled Joe Oliver after they had whittled a floating log three hours and 15 minutes in a championship meet at Chequamegon Bay, Ashland, Wis.

POSTPONE PAPER COLLECTING
Collection of waste paper that was to have been carried out on the north side of the city of Monroe on Saturday day by Boy Scouts was called off when the day was found to be stormy and little suited to the project. J. W. Webster, scoutmaster of troop No. 1, stated that another Saturday will be designated to carry out this collection and the date will be announced later.

BIBLE THOUGHT

Bless them which persecute you, bless, and curse not—Romans 12:14.
Blessings start forth forever; but a curse is like a cloud—it passes—Bailey.

SWARTZ CLUB HAS MONTHLY MEETING

The Swartz Home Demonstration club members were entertained by Mrs. T. G. Johnson and Mrs. Gus Booth the past week. Reports were rendered by leaders in the poultry and victory garden projects.

Mrs. George Spier discussed "This About Consumer."

Mrs. R. W. Hegwood gave a report on the USO entertainment recently given.

Mrs. T. C. McGlashan and Mrs. T. G. Johnson discussed "Food Values in Shares."

The recreational number was directed by Mrs. C. C. Hare. The May meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. M. R. Hare. Those attending the meeting were: Mrs. Jewel McQuillier, Mrs. Josie Ball, Mrs. M. R. Hare, Mrs. M. H. Taylor, Mrs. Myrtle Rollinson, Mrs. R. W. Regwood, Mrs. C. C. Hare, Mrs. M. L. O'Neal, Mrs. A. C. Coates, Mrs. George Spier, Mrs. T. C. McGlashan, Mrs. Gus Booth and Mrs. T. G. Johnson. Refreshments were served.

HOUR OF CLASSIC MUSIC PLANNED

The second of a series of classic music hours will be held at the USO, Sunday, April 18, at 2:00 p.m. through the cooperation of Professor Dallas Goss of the music department of the Northeast Junior college. Varied classical music will be played in the USO reading room.

This week's program will consist of: "First Symphony" (Brahms), "Waltz in C Sharp Minor" (Schoplin), "Serenade" (Dukas), "Finlandia" (Sibelius), "Reflections in the Water" (Debussy).

The general public as well as all servicemen are cordially invited to attend this program for music lovers.

PALM SUNDAY IS TO BE OBSERVED

Palm Sunday, always the Sunday immediately preceding Easter, will be observed by churches in the Twin Cities today. While all or nearly all churches here will make some reference to the meaning of the day, the Catholic and Episcopal churches, as is customary, will particularly stress the occasion and will distribute palms among the congregations.

Churches where palms will be distributed will be: St. Matthew's Catholic church, St. John and Grammont streets; St. Paschal's Catholic church, North Seventh street, West Monroe; and Grace Episcopal church, Fourth and Glenmar streets.

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CENTRAL P-T. A. HOLDS ELECTION

Mrs. B. G. Cole Again To Serve As President; Others Named

Officers of the P-T. A. of Central Grammar school were elected for the ensuing year at the meeting held last week. Mrs. B. G. Cole was re-elected president. Others elected were: Mrs. Frank Patterson, vice-president; Mrs. S. F. Davis, second vice-president; Mrs. L. R. Morgan, secretary; and Mrs. E. N. Mansberg, Jr., treasurer.

Following the reading of Scripture by Mrs. L. W. Coon, the pledge to the flag was given and the secretary and treasurer gave their reports.

The president's message was read by Mrs. S. F. Davis. Mrs. Cole, presiding as president, urged all members to attend the state P-T. A. convention here later this month.

Mrs. J. C. Lyles, goals chairman, stated that the goals have been reached and that certificates will be mailed out shortly.

Mrs. L. R. Morgan, program chairman, stated that the year's programs have all been satisfactorily completed.

Mrs. L. W. Coon, chairman of the committee for underprivileged children, said that the year had been successful and that many had been given required attention.

The study group chairman assured that this work has been well received and that substantial results are expected to result.

Miss Clifflie Olmstead's room won the honor of having the most parents in attendance.

2 CHUMS, PARENTS OF ONE



Shown above (left) Private First Class Jack Southworth from Waterloo, Iowa, and (right) his chum Private First Class Henry R. Taylor, from Swartz, La. Below are the parents of Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor, Ouachita parish. Both young men are in the communications school and are signal men for amphibious tanks, at the boat basin, Oceanide, Calif. Henry Taylor graduated at the Ouachita parish high school in 1937 and worked at a local carbon plant for some time. He enlisted last September 28. His parents made a trip to California and enjoyed a short visit with him recently.

OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

AUXILIARY MASON
CAMP MONTICELLO, Ark.—Auxiliary Elsie Verne Mason, daughter of Mrs. Ella Auld, 309 N. 7th St., West Monroe, La., has begun training at Branch B of the Fifth women's auxiliary corps training center here.

Immediately after her arrival, she was assigned to a basic training company and began the routine of army "processing," during which she was issued clothing and equipment, instructed in rudiments of drill, and given army classification tests.

For the next four weeks, she will be given more detailed military training that will prepare her to replace a man in a non-combatant army job.

CADET MCGOWEN
MARANA BASIC FLYING SCHOOL, Tucson, Ariz.—Leaving this week for Marana Basic Flying school at Tucson, Ariz., is aviation cadet class 43-F, which goes now to an advanced school and final step of flying training.

Under the command of Colonel Charles Backes, the desert unit, one of the country's largest basic flying training schools, in scheduled time has given the cadets their ground and air course. The sixth class to leave Marana since the field was opened last summer, the Cadets of 43-F spent approximately 9 weeks undergoing basic instruction.

Marana Basic Flying School, a division of the army air forces' west coast training center, supplies the basic or secondary step in the instruction of Uncle Sam's aviation cadets. Here students are received from primary schools, fresh from their first flying lessons and assigned to fly the heavier, faster, BT-13 training plane.

Among the aviation cadets to be graduated in class 43-F was Robert L. McGowen, R. R. No. 3, Monroe, La., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. McGowen, Route No. 3, Monroe, La. Before entering the air corps, Cadet McGowen was employed by the United Gas Pipeline Co., Shreveport, La.

CADET LUTHER
BAINBRIDGE, Ga.—Having completed pre-flight and primary training, Jesse L. Luther, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Luther, 206 Mitchell avenue, West Monroe, La., is now assigned to basic flight training at the Bainbridge army air field as an aviation cadet. He completed pre-flight training at Maxwell Field, Ala., and his primary training at one of the many fields throughout the South-east.

The Bainbridge flying field, a unit of the army air forces Southeast training center, is commanded by Major M. S. Savage, a graduate of Georgia Military academy and Georgia Tech and a veteran in the army air forces.

Cadet Luther is a graduate of Ouachita Parish high school, Monroe, and was a newspaper carrier salesman before joining the air forces on July 28, 1942.

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Lieutenant Simpson has studied at Marion Military Institute, Marion, Alabama and the University of Mississippi at Oxford. He began training at Pensacola last October 15.

PFC. MITCHELL
Private First Class Thomas W. Mitchell, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Mitchell, West Monroe, La., entered the army air forces on February 4, 1942. At the completion of his basic training at St. Petersburg, Fla., he was promoted to private first class, and sent to Chanute Field, Rantoul, Illinois, for special training in the sheet metal works school located there.

He is a graduate of Ouachita Parish high school, a former student of Northeast Junior college and was with the Fisher Aircraft company, Memphis, Tenn., when he entered the air force. After completion of courses he will be stationed at an air base to keep fighting planes in condition.

SERGEANT WHITE
MARFA, Texas—Joseph E. White, son of Mr. James Edward White, Route 3, Monroe, Louisiana, and Mrs. Margery Alice Riggs, 408 Louisiana street, Anarillo, Texas, has been promoted to sergeant at the Marfa, Texas, AAF Advanced Flying school, it was announced by Colonel Gerald Hoyle, commanding officer.

AUXILIARY TAYLOR
FORT DES MOINES, Iowa—Auxiliary Mary Elizabeth Taylor, of 404 Winnboro road, Monroe, La., has completed basic training at the first women's army auxiliary corps training center here, and has been selected for specialist training in administrative school.

She will receive additional training in a specialized field preparatory to taking over an important behind-the-lines army job releasing a soldier for combat duty. There are now more than 100 jobs listed by the army replacing

officers' candidate school and received his commission as second lieutenant January 18 last. He was transferred to ferry command at Long Beach, Calif., in February and is now in active service. He has many friends here who are interested in his progress.

PRIVATE HATFIELD
CAMP WOLTERS, Tex.—Private William Oliver Hatfield, 36, husband of Pearl Hatfield, of R. F. D. 3, Rayville, La., has arrived at this infantry replacement training center to begin his basic training as an infantryman. He has been assigned to a battalion stressing heavy weapons training.

N. B. (TONY) SAWYER, JR.
Word has been received that N. B. (Tony) Sawyer, Jr., has been promoted to private first class. He was transferred from Keesler field, Miss., to the army air corps technical school at Sioux Falls, S. D., where he is pursuing a course for radio technician.

Before he entered armed service he was with the Jitney-Jungle stores. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Sawyer of Monroe.

CORPORAL EDELEN
CAMP MURPHY, Fla.—Technical Corporal Leslie S. Edelen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edelen, 1707 College avenue, Monroe, La., has been enrolled in a special course of instruction at the Signal Corps' school at Camp Murphy. Corporal Edelen was selected for this specialized training on the basis of his aptitude.

STAFF SERGEANT DESTEFANO
Staff Sergeant Frank Destefano, son of George Destefano, 270 South Third street, and husband of Mrs. Ezell Destefano, is seeing action in Africa, according to news received here by his family, but he was unable to say where he is located or what part of the African campaign he is participating in.

Sergeant Destefano, educated in the city schools here, was employed for 16 years as a clerk for the Missouri

IN COAST GUARD



Ezra Murphy (above), now stationed with the United States coast guard at Marineland station, St. Augustine, Fla., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Murphy of West Monroe. Mrs. Murphy has just returned from a 10-day visit with him.

COUNTY PROCLAIMS DOG QUARANTINE

LAUREL, Miss., April 17.—(AP)—A county-wide quarantine on dogs has been proclaimed in Jones county by Dr. T. Paul Haney, director of the county health department, on authority of Dr. A. L. Gray of the Mississippi state board of health, Jackson, in view of the outbreak of rabies which Dr. Haney says appears to be spreading.

Several local residents are taking the anti-rabies treatment now, Dr. Haney said, and a number of dogs have been shot by local law enforcement officers following positive reports of hydrophobia received from the state laboratory on heads of dogs sent for examination.

Dogs must be securely confined for the period of the quarantine, which is indefinite, or if allowed to run at large must wear a muzzle, the quarantine order states. Dr. Haney has called on city and county law enforcement officers to kill all dogs running loose without muzzles or a collar with a metal tag indicating the animal has been immunized against rabies.

In his letter to the local health director, Dr. Gray said "In all probability there will soon be a general epidemic of rabies among the canine population. This means that the number of citizens, especially the children, will be bitten and their lives endangered."

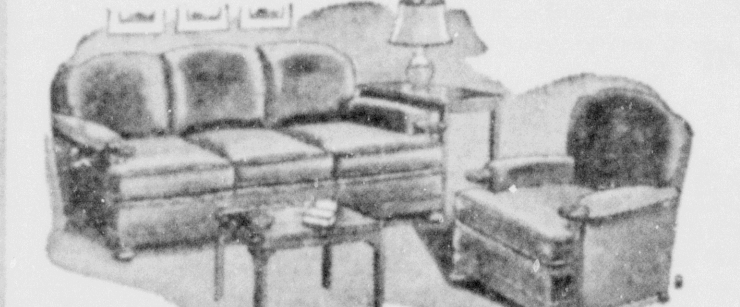
SILK SALVAGE
Since the opening of the stocking salvage campaign three months ago, 12,522,540 pairs of silk and nylon stockings have been salvaged by American women for war use. If placed end to end they would stretch 14,211 miles.

BICYCLE STOLEN
Henry Hundley, 812 Adams street, reported to local police that his bicycle was stolen from in front of the Liberty night club early Saturday morning. Police have been given a complete description of the bike and early recovery is expected.

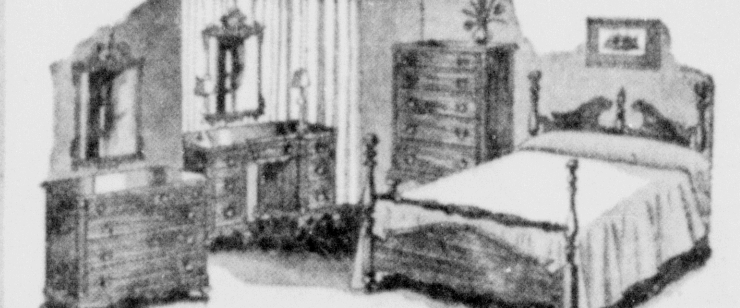
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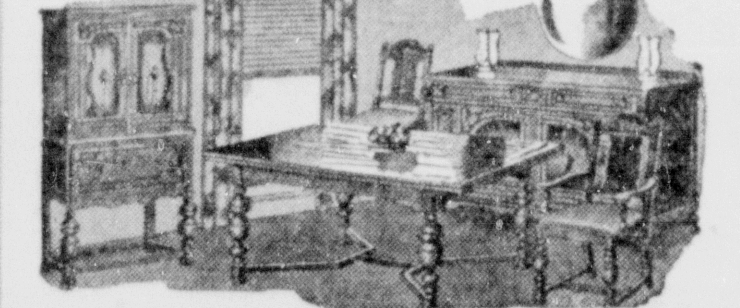
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ZION CHURCH IS TO BE DEDICATED

Zion Traveler Baptist church, negro, Eleventh and Grammont streets, will be dedicated free of all debt, this afternoon at a special service at 2 p.m. in which prominent persons of both races will participate. The pastor, Rev. P. E. Pearce, will observe the completion of five years of service in connection with the church observance.

Rev. Kiel, pastor of the First Baptist church, negro, will preach the sermon of dedication and Judge David I. Garrett will also speak and other civic leaders, white, will have a part on the program, a part of the church being reserved for white friends.

This church was originally chartered in 1856 and ranks as the second oldest colored church in Monroe, being antedated only by the First church, negro.

The edifice was destroyed by fire in 1934 but was rebuilt in 1935 when Rev. W. W. Heel was pastor.

WOMAN IS KILLED NEAR ERWINVILLE

BATON ROUGE, La., April 17.—(AP)—State police reported that Mrs. Clinton L. Starr of Fort Benning, Ga., was killed just after noon today, after apparently losing control of her car near Erwinville, about 20 miles west of here.

The state police said her husband, Lieutenant Starr, was seriously injured. He was brought here still unconscious, suffering from head and chest injuries. The officers said they had notified police at Houston, Tex., they believed the Starrs were en route to visit Starr's mother, reported ill at (2813 Browning street) Houston.

According to state police the automobile was reported traveling at a moderate rate of speed but swerved and crashed into a concrete bridge. Mrs. Starr's body is in a funeral home at New Roads, La.

MEET OF SOUTHERN FORESTERS CLOSES

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.—(AP)—Southern states foresters, closing a three-day conference here Saturday, passed a resolution urging public support of a \$4,000,000 forest fire control appropriation included in a bill recently approved by the federal bureau of the budget.

The resolution also urged passage of senate bill No. 45, which provides increased federal financial assistance by the extension of forest fire control to state and privately owned forest lands in the United States.

COLORED WELFARE ASSISTS CHILDREN

One of the most effective programs conducted among colored people is in progress under the leadership of Colored Community Welfare organization, Marie M. Penn, director, for the Easter celebration. Only last year a number of underprivileged children were given Easter dresses through this same organization under the leadership of its late director, Rev. I. Garland Penn.

This year there will be a duplication and the missionary women of all churches are making these garments. The material is being furnished by the Colored Community Welfare. Persons seeking to be served are asked to contact the office of the Colored Community Welfare so that the case might be investigated immediately.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Real estate transfers recorded yesterday at the office of the clerk of court of Ouachita parish were:

The Peoples Homestead and Savings association sold to Webb Goodlett a certain lot beginning 101.35 feet south of the intersection of Jackson and Flournoy streets in West Monroe and fronting 101.35 feet along the west line of Flournoy street for \$2,300.

Mrs. George Woolley Turner sold to Marvin Tiedeman a certain two acres, triangular in shape, in the southeast corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 8, township 18 north, range 1 east for \$65.

STREAM-LINED MEET PLANNED BY BANKERS

BATON ROUGE, La., April 17.—(AP)—A stream-lined program devoted to wartime problems and devoid of peacetime frills is set for the annual convention of the Louisiana Bankers association here Monday.

A pre-convention meeting of the group's executive council is to schedule only the most pertinent subjects for discussion. President W. W. Schroeder, vice-president of the National Bank of Commerce, New Orleans, will deliver his report.

According to precedent, Vice-President A. R. Johnson, who is vice-president of the City National Bank, Baton Rouge, is slated to be elevated as president of the association for 1943. R. Irby Didier, Baton Rouge, is permanent secretary.

Posts to be filled are those of treasurer, now held by J. C. Atkins, cashier of the Continental-American Bank & Trust company, Shreveport, and of two executive council memberships, now held by Fred Falkenheimer, cashier of the Concordia Bank & Trust company, Vidalia, and A. H. Southern, president of the Planter Bank & Trust company Haynesville.

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NEW ORLEANS—Aviation Cadet Louis Russell Simpson, Jr., son of Mrs. L. R. Simpson of 1710 North Fifth street, Monroe, Louisiana, has completed a course of training at the United States naval air station, Pensacola, Florida, and has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the United States marine corps reserve, according to an announcement made today by the office of public relations of the Eighth naval district.

Lieutenant Simpson has studied at Marion Military Institute, Marion, Alabama and the University of Mississippi at Oxford. He began training at Pensacola last October 15.

PFC. MITCHELL
Private First Class Thomas W. Mitchell, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Mitchell, West Monroe, La., entered the army air forces on February 4, 1942. At the completion of his basic training at St. Petersburg, Fla., he was promoted to private first class, and sent to Chanute Field, Rantoul, Illinois, for special training in the sheet metal works school located there.

He is a graduate of Ouachita Parish high school, a former student of Northeast Junior college and was with the Fisher Aircraft company, Memphis, Tenn., when he entered the air force. After completion of courses he will be stationed at an air base to keep fighting planes in condition.

SERGEANT WHITE
MARFA, Texas—Joseph E. White, son of Mr. James Edward White, Route 3, Monroe, Louisiana, and Mrs. Margery Alice Riggs, 408 Louisiana street, Anarillo, Texas, has been promoted to sergeant at the Marfa, Texas, AAF Advanced Flying school, it was announced by Colonel Gerald Hoyle, commanding officer.

AUXILIARY TAYLOR
FORT DES MOINES, Iowa—Auxiliary Mary Elizabeth Taylor, of 404 Winnboro road, Monroe, La., has completed basic training at the first women's army auxiliary corps training center here, and has been selected for specialist training in administrative school.

She will receive additional training in a specialized field preparatory to taking over an important behind-the-lines army job releasing a soldier for combat duty. There are now more than 100 jobs listed by the army replacing

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Others Follow On Wednesday; Cards, Yanks Favored To Repeat

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No one is overlooking the difficulties ahead, including the fact that star performers constantly are being called to military service. But the reception the major leagues have received this spring during their transplanted training program has convinced all observers that interest has not been eclipsed by sterner issues.

The curtain will be raised Tuesday at Washington with the Senators playing the Philadelphia Athletics at Griffith stadium a day ahead of the getaway for other clubs. This follows the custom of having a ceremonial opener in the nation's capital on alternate years when the Washington club ordinarily would begin its season on the road.

President Roosevelt has been invited to throw out the first ball, but there has been no indication whether he would or not. Last year he turned the pitching over to Vice-President Wallace.

On Wednesday all 16 clubs are expected to get underway. The schedule: National League—St. Louis at Cincinnati, New York at Brooklyn, Pittsburgh at Chicago, Philadelphia at Boston.

American League—Washington at New York, Boston at Philadelphia, Chicago at St. Louis, Detroit at Cleveland.

The world champion Cardinals in the National league and the perennially pace-setting Yankees in the American league have been established as favorites to repeat the pennant conquests they achieved last year although the inroads of the draft on key players may scramble the entire situation.

All teams already have seen many of their important players enter the armed forces, but none have been tapped any more heavily than the two rivals of the 1942 world series.

The Redbirds will be without outfielder Terry Moore and Enos (Country) Slaughter as well as Johnny Beazley, the rookie pitcher who captured 21 victories during the regular season and two sensational decisions over the Yankees in the world series.

The Bronx Bombers have been reduced to cap pistols by the departure of Joe DiMaggio, Tommy Henrich, Phil Rizzuto, Buddy Hassett, Red Ruffing and others. Except for the batterymen they will open the season with only two holdover regulars, Joe Gordon in the infield and Charley (King Kong) Keller in the outfield.

The Yankees, however, seem a reasonably good choice to repeat because their chief rivals also have suffered major losses. The Boston Red Sox, who finished second for the fourth time in five years, have lost their entire outfield, Ted Williams, Dom DiMaggio and Lou Finney to the farm—and the Red Sox were talking about them.

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By Harry Grayson (NEA Sports Editor)

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SELMAN REGULARS MEET YANNIGANS

Nines Clash In Intra-Squad Game At Casino Park This Afternoon

The Regulars of Selman field missions take on the Yannigans this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Casino Park in the field's first baseball game of the season.

While admission is free to service-men, the general public is invited to attend with ducats priced at 25 cents.

On the mound in the opening game for the Regulars will be Jerry DeBouchel, a right hander, who has shown the most thus far in the early season practice sessions. He faces Bill Murry, a tall boy, who is potentially a dangerous pitcher.

Murry, a local player who starred around the semi-pro circuits, is six-foot, with good shoulders to fire them in, and it may be that with more competition this year, will develop into the ace of the staff. However, that remains to be seen, for Murry will have to be hot to best the New Orleans pitcher.

At the end of four innings DeBouchel will be relieved by Delph, a short, but dependable, speed ball hurler. Delph's sinker will doubtless puzzle the Yannigans.

In their second half the Yannigans will try-out Reith, an unknown quality.

Player Manager Buddy Blair who held down the third sack for the Philadelphia A's and who played with the Newark Bears during their championship year in 1940, starts at third base, strong spot in a yet untired infield.

With Blair, is Pete Medak at first. Medak played with the Monroe White Sox in the Cotton States league before coming into the army. He hit a neat .343, fielding a consistently good game. He went up with the St. Louis Browns in 1938, and did a trick with Atlanta in the Southern association.

Obel Payne, another local find who played with Louisiana Tech, and in the Ouachita Valley league, goes to short, teaming up with Trauth at second in a menacing double play combination.

Patrolling the garden for the Regulars are Watson in right, Harsell in the middle, flanked by Bowen in left. Of the three, Watson stands out as the big gun in a heavy hitting outfield.

Blair, who has been hit hard by injuries and shipping orders, is sending Fred Dudgeon, behind the plate. Dudgeon's name rhymes with bludgeon which is what the former St. Louis Browns' catcher does to the ball.

For the Yannigans at the initial sack is a New York boy, Harold Packman, a hustling player who fits into Blair's conception of a ball club. Packman, however, is doomed to the bench, being the understudy of dependable Iron Horse Modak.

This Regular-Yannigan game is the last before the team meets the L. S. U. Tigers here Friday at 4:15. Blair, carrying 27 men on the squad, plans to be at full strength for this all important encounter.

Health authorities estimate that one-sixth of all persons in the United States are infected with trichonosis.

EXHIBITION RESULTS

CHISOX EDGE CUBS

CHICAGO, April 17.—(P)—The Chicago White Sox saw the Cubs take a five run lead in the first three innings today and then came back to win, 6 to 5, scoring the deciding marker with two out in the ninth inning and evening their formal city series at one game apiece.

Before 1,714 spectators in Comiskey park, Rookie Dick Cullen stole home with the Sox's winning run while Dick Barrett was on the mound for the Cubs.

The American leaguers now lead in their spring duel with the Cubs, three games to two. A trio of contests was played as part of a "no count" series at the teams' French Lick, Ind., training grounds.

The National league Cubs landed on Johnny Humphries for two runs in the first inning, one in the second and two in the third. Pitcher Bill Lee kept the White Sox scoreless for four frames but yielded four runs in the fifth. The Sox tied it up with a run in the sixth off Ray Prim, who succeeded Lee.

Cullen pilfered home in the ninth after Barrett, veteran rookie who was with Seattle last year, has issued three passes, one of them intentional, to fill the bases.

Score by innings:

Cubs (N) 212 000 000—5 8 5

Chicago (A) 000 041 001—6 8 1

Lee, Prim (6), Barrett (9) and McCullough (6); Humphries, Ross (4), Hanksi (7) and Turners.

BROWNS DROP CARDS

ST. LOUIS, April 17.—(P)—Getting unexpected scoring punch from Rookie Outfielder Milt Byrnes, the St. Louis Browns defeated the world champion Cardinals in an exhibition game today, 9 to 4.

Byrnes, a light-hitter at Toledo, drove in five runs, his team's margin of victory. He came up three times with the bases loaded, singled twice and walked once.

A redeeming feature for the Cardinals was the work of rookie Pitcher George Munger, who went to the mound in the ninth inning with the bases loaded, no out, and retired the Browns without further scoring.

Score by innings:

St. Louis (A) 200 040 003—9 14 2

St. Louis (N) 001 119 001—11 4 2

Hollingsworth, Galeshous (8) and Hayes, Cumber, Dickson (1), Brecheen (6), Munger (3) and W. Cooper.

REDS BEAT TRIBE

CINCINNATI, April 17.—(P)—The Cincinnati Reds made it three in a row over the Cleveland Indians today with a 3-2 victory in 11 innings at Crosley field.

Scoreless until the ninth, the Reds came through then with a two-run outburst to tie the score, and pushed across the winning marker two frames later on rookie Charlie Brewster's single with the bases loaded.

Clyde Shoun, third Cincinnati pitcher, received credit for the win, while the loss went to Paul Calvert.

Cleveland scored in the third inning on Ray Mack's single, a stolen base, and two infield outs, then talked another run in the fourth on a walk to Roy Cullenbine, a stolen base and Mack's single.

Cincinnati's two runs in the ninth came on Frank McCormick's single, a walk to Eddie Mueller, a wild pitch, an infield out and Ray Mueller's infield single.

Score by innings:

Cleveland (A) 001 100 000 00—2 5 1

Cincinnati (N) 000 000 002 01—3 12 1

Bagby, Reynolds (7), Calvert (10) and Rosar; Vander Meer, Beggs (8), Shoun (9), and Mueller.

TIGERS BLANK BUCS

DETROIT, April 17.—(P)—Hal White and Hal Newhouse combined today to pitch the Detroit Tigers to a 2 to 0 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates before 1,365 spectators at Briggs stadium. The Pirates still hold a 3 to 2 lead in their exhibition series.

White, making his second start since recovering from a back injury, hurled four hit balls before Newhouse came in with the bases loaded in the seventh to strike out Frank Colman and retire the side. Newhouse yielded one hit the rest of the distance.

The Tigers likewise got five hits but they clustered two singles with two Pirate errors in the sixth for the pair of runs. Bob Klinger, second of three Pirate pitchers, and Pete Coscarat booted the ball to set up scoring plays on infield rollers by Rudy York and Jimmy Bloodworth.

Score by innings:

Pittsburgh (N) 000 000 000—0 5 3

Detroit (A) 000 002 000—2 5 1

Herbert, Klinger (4), Gornicki (7), and Lopez, White, Newhouse (7) and Parsons.

ROOKIE PITCHERS COME THROUGH FOR LOOKOUTS

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 17.—(P)—The Lookout regulars went down 7 to 5 before the Yannigans today, but Manager Sparky Briggs was pleased.

The cause for this strange pleasure was that two youngsters, in hurling for the Yannigans, had cleared up many doubts Olson had had about them. Bucky Jacobs started and allowed the Regulars only 3 runs in four innings. Ned Thaxton, prep school star, then handcuffed the first team without a hit for four innings although he was touched for a couple of runs in the final inning.

Olson now is working a north Georgia keystone combination with Leroy Brock of Lafayette at short and Charley Dean of Cedartown at second.

HARRIDGE SEES INTEREST OF FANS AT PEAK THIS SEASON

Predicts Avid Curiosity Of Baseball Crowds In Following Rookies' Development Will Be Big Boom To Game

By Will Harridge

(With Speciality for the Associated Press)

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It is true the season will open with scores of the game's outstanding stars in the service of our nation and I have been asked many times what the attitude of the public may be in view of the departure to the armed forces of the outstanding players now among the 148 American leaguers in uniform.

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Others Follow On Wednesday; Cards, Yanks Favored To Repeat

By Judson Bailey

NEW YORK, April 17.—(AP)—Baseball opens another war-shrouded season next week with the National and American leagues both confident that fans are as interested as ever in the national pastime, that the pennant race will be as entertaining as ever, and that the schedules will be carried through to their normal conclusion.

No one is overlooking the difficulties ahead, including the fact that star performers constantly are being called to military service. But the reception the major leagues have received this spring during their transplanted training program has convinced all observers that interest has not been eclipsed by sterner issues.

The curtain will be raised Tuesday at Washington with the Senators playing the Philadelphia Athletics at Griffith stadium a day ahead of the getaway for other clubs. This follows the custom of having a ceremonial opener in the nation's capital on alternate years when the Washington club ordinarily would begin its season on the road.

President Roosevelt has been invited to throw out the first ball, but there has been no indication whether he would or not. Last year he turned the pitching over to Vice-President Wallace.

On Wednesday all 16 clubs are carded for action with this schedule: National league—St. Louis at Cincinnati, New York at Brooklyn, Pittsburgh at Chicago, Philadelphia at Boston.

American league—Washington at New York, Boston at Philadelphia, Chicago at St. Louis, Detroit at Cleveland.

The world champion Cardinals in the National league and the perennially pace-setting Yankees in the American league have been established as favorites to repeat the pennant conquests they achieved last year although the inroads of the draft on key players may scramble the entire situation.

All teams already have seen many of their important players enter the armed forces, but none have been tapped any more heavily than the two rivals of the 1942 world series.

The Redbirds will be without Outfielder Terry Moore and Enos (Country) Slaughter as well as Johnny Beasley, the rookie pitcher who captured 21 victories during the regular season and two sensational decisions over the Yanks in the world series.

The Bronx Bombers have been reduced to cap pistols by the departure of Joe DiMaggio, Tommy Henrich, Phil Rizzuto, Buddy Hassett, Red Ruffing and others. Except for the battersmen they will open the season with only two holdover regulars, Joe Gordon in the infield and Charley (King Kong) Keller in the outfield.

The Yankees, however, seem a reasonably good choice to repeat because their chief rivals also have suffered major losses. The Boston Red Sox, who finished second for the fourth time in five years, have lost their entire outfield, Ted Williams, Dom Di-

GRAYSON'S SCOREBOARD

By Harry Grayson
(SEA Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, April 17.—(AP)—Joe Cronin lost his entire outfield—Ted Williams and Dom DiMaggio to the Navy and Lou Finney to the farm—and the Red Sox were talking about them.

"Williams was the best left-hand hitter anybody ever saw," remarked Manager Cronin, "and the other two could catch the ball, but little DiMaggio was the only one given full credit in the field."

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"Yes," cut in Johnny Peacock, "it was a pleasure to take Williams' throws at the plate. The ball skipped smack dab in your glove, but that isn't the reason we'll miss him."

Cronin expressed the opinion that Williams, in 1941 the American league's first 400 hitter in 18 years, could hit just about what he wanted to.

Catcher Peacock recalled how, late last summer, Williams, on his way to a league-leading 336 and 137 runs-batted-in, told him that if anybody else hit 400, he'd hit 410. He batted 406 the year before.

Williams had fits of temper and rabbit ears that caught derogatory remarks hurled from the stands.

Peacock told how as Williams started for the plate in Detroit last summer, someone in the left field stand shouted something uncomplimentary.

"With Jack Wilson pitching, Williams stood there deliberately fouling the ball into the left field stand. I honestly think Williams believed he could hit his tormentor. Anyway, that appeared to be his idea. Finally, as we rode him from the bench for his foolishness, his mood changed, and he rified the next pitch into right-center for a double."

"Bill Dickey was aboard him at Yankee Stadium one day. 'Hit this one to left,' Dickey would say. Just to show Dickey that he could do it, Williams filled the order on several successive pitches. Then, growing tired of the game, or something, he lined the next pitch into right centerfield stand."

Jimmy Dykes and the White Sox started out to have some fun with Williams three years ago, when the willowy kid gave out his famous "I-wanna-be-a-fireman" interview. Dykes equipped the Pale Hose with firemen's hats, and they opened up from the dugout every time Williams came to bat.

Williams replied with such a barrage of extra base hits, however, that Director Dykes soon ordered the White Sox to cease firing.

"Riding only improves Williams and he's tough enough when you let him alone," commented Dykes.

No distance hitter could come closer to calling his shots than Ted Williams.

SELMAN REGULARS MEET YANNIGANS

Nines Clash In Intra-Squad Game At Casino Park This Afternoon

The Regulars of Selman field missions take on the Yannigans this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Casino Park in the field's first baseball game of the season.

While admission is free to servicemen, the general public is invited to attend with ducats priced at 25 cents.

On the mound in the opening game for the Regulars will be Jerry DeBouchel, a right hander, who has shown the most thus far in the early season practice sessions. He faces Bill Murry, a tall boy, who is potentially a dangerous pitcher.

Murry, a local player who starred around the semi-pro circuits, is six-foot, with good shoulders to fire them in, and it may be that with more competition this year, will develop into the ace of the staff. However, that remains to be seen, for Murry will have to be hot to best the New Orleans pitcher.

At the end of four innings DeBouchel will be relieved by Delph, a short, but dependable, speed ball hurler. Delph's sinker will doubtless puzzle the Yannigans.

In their second half the Yannigans will try-out Reith, an unknown quality.

Player Manager Buddy Blair who held down the third sack for the Philadelphia A's and who played with the Newark Bears during their championship year in 1940, starts at third base, strong spot in a yet untired infield.

With Blair, is Pete Medak at first. Medak played with the Monroe White Sox in the Cotton States league before coming into the army. He hit a neat 343, fielding a consistently good game. He went up with the St. Louis Browns in 1938, and did a trick with Atlanta in the Southern association.

Othel Payne, another local find who played with Louisiana Tech, and in the Ouachita Valley league, goes to short, teaming up with Trauth at second in a menacing double play combination.

Patrolling the garden for the Regulars are Watson in right, Harsell in the middle, flanked by Bowen in left. Of the three, Watson stands out as the big gun in a heavy hitting outfield.

Blair, who has been hit hard by injuries and shipping orders, is sending Fred Dudgeon, behind the plate. Dudgeon's name rhymes with bludgeon which is what the former St. Louis Browns' catcher does to the ball.

For the Yannigans at the initial sack is a New York boy, Harold Packman, a hustling player who fits into Blair's conception of a ball club. Packman, however, is doomed to the bench, being the understudy of dependable Iron Horse Modak.

This Regular-Yannigan game is the last before the team meets the L. S. U. Tigers here Friday at 4:15. Blair, carrying 27 men on the squad, plans to be at full strength for this all important encounter.

Health authorities estimate that one-sixth of all persons in the United States are infected with trichinosis.

EXHIBITION RESULTS

CHISOX EDGE CUBS

CHICAGO, April 17.—(AP)—The Chicago White Sox saw the Cubs take a five-run lead in the first three innings today and then came back to win, 6 to 5, scoring the deciding marker with two out in the ninth inning and evening their formal city series at one game apiece.

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Culler pilfered home in the ninth after Barrett, veteran rookie who was with Seattle last year, has issued three passes, one of them intentional, to fill the bases.

Score by innings:
Chicago (N) 212 000 000-5 8 5
Chicago (A) 000 041 001-6 8 1
Lee, Prim (6); Barrett (9) and McCullough (6); Humphries, Ross (4), Hanks (7) and Turner.

BROWNS DROP CARDS

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A redeeming feature for the Cardinals was the work of rookie Pitcher George Munger, who went to the mound in the ninth inning with the bases loaded, no out, and retired the Browns without further scoring.

Score by innings:
St. Louis (A) 200 040 003-9 14 2
St. Louis (N) 001 110 001-4 11 4
Hollingsworth, Galehouse (8) and Hayes; Gumbert, Dickson (1), Brecheen (6), Munger (9) and W. Cooper.

REDS BEAT TRIBE

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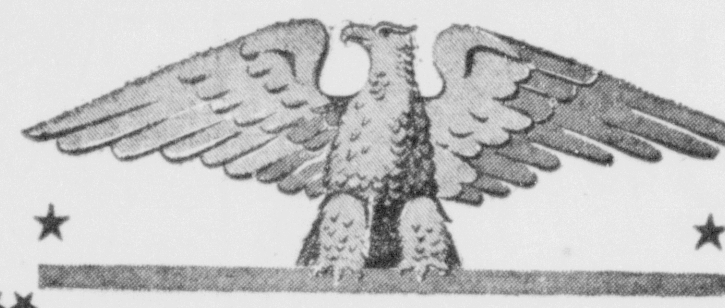
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C. Schaff 133 153 168 454
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N. Orlandi 172 163 129 464
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Cox 194 153 136 483
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A favorite bowling alibi is that the end alleys in almost any layout are a jinx and it got a new twist recently when L. W. Schmitz, a district assessor who is fond of high scores, had to use the last pair and turned in a lifetime low as his team lost three games. ... Schmitz started apologizing to Owner Harold Allen for having made an error in assessing the place as a 24-alleys establishment. ... Allen tried to argue that there were 24, but Schmitz cut him off: "23 and 24 aren't alleys," he said, "therefore you have only 22 beds in this place."

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Brooks Kuhl, Berger (Tex.) Daily Herald: "With high school boys in victory corps and army and navy cadets in colleges, we wonder if during next fall's grand season a 'buck private' will be busted or court-martialed for failing to make a first down."

Service Dept.
Lieutenant Farid Simaika, former U. C. L. A. fancy diver who hails from Alexandria, Egypt, is training at Lewis Field, Colo., for a type of diving done without a springboard. He's assistant intelligence officer of a bomb-hunting group preparing for overseas service. Lieutenant E. B. Burt, who played guard on Georgia Orange Bowl football team, has just left the Bulldogs, Ga., army basic flying school to be classified as a bombardier or navigator at Nashville, Tenn. ... The Okmulgee, Iowa, naval air station was named today. It's named after the late Lt. James H. Kirtley, who was killed in action during the war. The station is named after him. The station is named after him.

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Ben Hogan Takes Texas Victory Open By 3 Strokes

113 ENTRANTS IN BOSTON MARATHON

BOSTON, April 17.—(AP)—One hundred and thirteen plodders—eight of whom are among the top ranking favorites—will compete tomorrow in the gruelling 47th annual 26 mile, 385-yard, with Hopkinton-to-Boston marathon for the honor of being crowned with a laurel wreath.

Fort Worth Pro, Amateur Of Dallas Tie For Second Spot In Play
DALLAS, Tex., April 17.—(AP)—Ben Hogan, who's starting at the bottom in the army, ranked at the top today in Texas' Victory open golf tournament.

Smooth Sailing
Tiny Ben, recently inducted as a buck private, turned in a 138, six under par, to win first money in the tournament dedicated to the war effort.

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today in its weekly report of activities
the completion of six new oil wells
with an initial daily capacity of
2,252.9 barrels and the issuance of 23
permits for new drilling locations.

Completions follow:
Beauregard parish, Neale field—
Gulf Refining Co.'s W. F. Campbell
No. 1, 1,194.90 barrels through 5/16
inch choke.

Claiborne parish, Sugar Creek field—
Roy Lee, trustee's W. J. Byrd et al
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Jefferson parish, Delta Farms field—
The Texas Co.'s state lease 356
Bayou Perot No. 5, 151 barrels through
1/8 inch choke.

St. Mary parish, Bayou Sale field—
Atlantic Refining Co.'s St. Mary parish
No. 1, 96 barrels through 1/8
inch choke.

Terrebonne parish, Northeast Gibson
field—Shell Oil Co.'s Realty Opns. "B"
12, 276 barrels through 8/64 inch choke.

South Louisiana permits:
Calcasieu parish, Vinton field—
Union Oil Co. of Calif.'s M. Gray No.
8-G, 2975 ft. W. 487 ft. S of the NE
corner of S33, T10-S, R12-W.

Cameron parish, West Hackberry
field—Stanford Oil & Gas Co.'s
School Board No. A-27, 2794 ft. E,
6121 ft. N of SW corner of S16,
T12-S, R10-W.

Iberia parish, Iberia field—William
Hells's Schwinn No. 15, 986 ft. S, 788 ft.
W of SE corner of S11 in S56, T12-S,
R7-E.

Iberia parish, Bayou Choctaw
field—The Sulway Process Co.'s Wil-
bert Salt Well No. 3, 4108 ft. S, 515 ft.
E of NW corner of S22, T9-S, R11-E.

St. Landry parish, Roundtop
field—The Union Sulphur Co.'s M. H.
Stafford et al No. A-1, N 89 deg, 46
mins W, 6897 ft. N of SE corner of
SW 1/4 of S2, T9-S, R4-W. Welsh
field (wildcat)—Stanford Oil & Gas
Co.'s W. L. Trimble No. 1, 330 ft. W,
330 ft. S of NE corner of SE 1/4 of
SW 1/4 of S16 of S16, T9-S, R4-W.

Atchafalaya parish, Bully Camp area—
Texas Gulf Sulphur Co.'s Delta Sec-
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from NE corner of S36, T19-S, R21-E.
Bully Camp area—Texas Gulf's Delta
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ft. N from SE corner of S36, T19-S,
R20-E.

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field—Freeport Sulphur Co.'s Cockrell-
Moran No. 208, Approximately 2,650 ft.
N, 5,500 ft. E of Station "Wash" in
Section Blk. T20, S, R12-W.

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Sun Oil Co.'s Dr. O. P. Doby No. 1,
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line from SE corner of S175, then 835
ft. N at RT angles in S175, T7-S,
R4-E.

St. Martin parish, Ance La Butte
field—Stanford Oil & Gas Co.'s R.
Chausson No. 1, 3,971.55 ft. NE along
NW line of S62 from NW corner, then
330 ft. SE at RT angles in S62,
T9-S, R3-E. West Lake Verret field—
Shell Oil Co.'s Norman Breux B No.
1-A, N. No. degs. 23 mins. W 818 ft.
from SE corner of SW 1/4 of S15, then
98 degs. 31 mins. W 880 ft. in S15,
T14-S, R12-E.

St. Mary parish, Bayou Sale field—
Humble Oil & Refining Co.'s Dare
Lake No. 5, from most N corner of
S17 SW along NW line of S17, 4

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Beauregard parish, Neale field—Gulf Refining Co.'s W. F. Campbell No. 2, 243 barrels through 5 1/2 inch choke.

Claiborne parish, Sugar Creek field—Roy Lee, trustee's W. J. Byrd et al No. 1, 1,194.90 barrels through 5 1/2 inch choke.

Evangeline parish, Pine Prairie field—Gulf Refining Co.'s Schlitter-Thomson No. A-5, 292 barrels through 5 1/2 inch choke.

Jefferson parish, Delta Farms field—The Texas Co.'s state lease 356 Bayou Perot No. 5, 151 barrels through 1 1/8 inch choke.

St. Mary parish, Bayou Sale field—Atlantic Refining Co.'s St. Mary parish land No. 7, 96 barrels through 1 1/8 inch choke.

Terrebonne parish, Northeast Gibson field—Shell Oil Co.'s Realty Ops. "B" 13, 276 barrels through 8 5/8 inch choke.

South Louisiana permits:

Calcasieu parish, Vinton field—Union Oil Co. of California's M. Gray No. 8-G, 2,975 ft. W. 487 ft. S of the NE corner of S33, T10-S, R12-W.

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Jefferson parish, Davis parish, Roanoke field—The Union Sulphur Co.'s M. H. Stafford et al No. A-1, N 89 deg, 46 mins W, 665.7 ft. and N 89 deg, 46 mins W, 665.4 ft. from SE corner of SW 1/4 of S2, T9-S, R4-W, Welsh field (wildcat)—Stanolind Oil & Gas Co.'s W. L. Trimble No. 1, 330 ft. W, 330 ft. S of NE corner of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of S16, T-9S, R4-W.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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2 HOUSES, 5-rooms and bath and 4-rooms 2 acres of land. Garages and poultry houses, etc. 10 paper shell pear trees and fruit trees. Just across railroad next to Monroe Nursery. Water, lights and gas. For quick sale \$8,600. 4-25-A

1,000 ACRES close to Girard, La., on Bonifur river. 500 acres open, balance in woods. Ideal stock farm. Priced to sell. \$20 per acre. 4-25-A

E. B. JOHNSTON
323 Bernhardt Bldg. Phone 45

8 ACRES of land located near the Dean church on old Arkansas road. For quick sale \$550. Phone 5400. 4-24-A

40 ACRES LA D and 2 houses, 7 miles east of Kelly, La. For quick sale, \$11,000. E. W. Cruse, 302 Ouachita Bank Bldg. Phone 5400. 4-25-A

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DUPLEX APARTMENT, 604 Brea. Completely furnished. \$75 per month. Lot 50x150. Double garage. Price \$6,000. LUTHER REED & CO. Phone 3050 4-22-A

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FOR SALE—Furnished or unfurnished 5-room house in Sherouse addition. Close in. 4-25-A

ATTRACTIVE DUPLEX 1014 N. 2nd street. LELA S. KING 10 PT CAPS Phone 440 4-22-A

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NEW 5-ROOM HOUSE and 1 acre of land. Lights and gas. On Winnboro Rd. Near Delta Nite club. For quick sale \$1,775. Phone 5400. 4-23-A

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WAR LOAN DRIVE EXCEEDS MILLION

Entire Parish Cooperating In Campaign To Raise \$3,500,000

Individuals and firms of Ouachita parish have purchased \$1,047,296 in war bonds since the start of the second war loan drive which started April 12, it was reported by committee headquarters at noon Saturday.

Ouachita parish's goal is \$3,500,000, with which a mine sweeper will be purchased in the name of the parish, and the goal will be met, according to the committee. In comparison, Shreveport's goal is \$7,000,000 to purchase a submarine and Alexandria's goal is \$8,000,000, with which a destroyer will be bought.

Clifford Strauss, chairman of the Mine Sweeper-for-Ouachita campaign, issued the following statement:

"We are out to show that we are really in this war. The first four days of the drive gave us inspiration when firms and individuals purchased \$854,000 in government bonds and securities. At the last meeting of the Lion's club, every person pledged himself to buy some this month. Every person present also pledged himself to do his very best."

"That is the spirit on every hand. Everybody is behind it and the quicker we all do our buying the quicker our goal will be reached."

"All agencies are boosting. In addition to the newspapers, radio and movie theaters, unusual and outstanding publicity is being given by the schools, civic clubs and churches."

"The women are really working. Every woman who buys and wants her club to receive credit should report her purchases to her club president, so there won't be any slipup and full credit will go where credit is due."

"School children are doing a wonderful job in every school in Ouachita parish. They should report to their school board and stamp headquarters about what they buy, so their school may get the credit."

Subscriptions from local business firms continue to come in. Mangel's Women's apparel store bought \$2,000 in bonds. The Monroe Furniture company subscribed to \$25,000. Many more whose purchases run into the thousands have already subscribed.

Citizens and clubs all over the parish are enthusiastic and reports are that every section of Ouachita is going to have a hand in buying our own fighting ship. The chairmen would like to have reports from the heads of various committees as soon as possible, so that proper credit may be given in news stories.

PURCHASERS OF BIG BONDS



Here are two of the purchasers of big bonds in the drive now being conducted here for the Second War loan. Above, Lester Schaff, left, general manager of the Monroe Furniture company, buys \$25,000 in bonds from Fred Millsaps, president of the Ouachita National bank, for his company. Below, Mrs. Pauline McCarty, manager of Mangel's, purchases \$2,000 in bonds for her company from Travis Oliver, president of the Central Savings Bank and Trust company.

CAPT. K. N. SMITH HURT IN SERVICE

Information regarding injuries incurred by Captain Karl N. Smith of the marine force, has been received by his sister, Mrs. W. V. Tomlinson, 3400 Harrison street.

Captain Smith, who is stationed somewhere in the South Pacific, was seriously injured when a tank turned over the jeep in which he was riding. He suffered fractured ribs and complications and a shoulder and arm injury. In the accident Alvin LeBlanc of Monroe was killed.

Captain Smith, son of Mrs. Karl Smith and the late Mr. Smith of this city, is a graduate of the Northeast Junior college and Louisiana State university. He was on the business staff of the Shreveport Journal at the time he resigned to accept an appointment for training at Quantico, Va. After receiving his commission, he was stationed at San Diego for several months. Following the bombing of Pearl Harbor, he was sent to Honolulu to supervise reconstruction work. Soon after his return to the west coast, he was ordered to foreign service.

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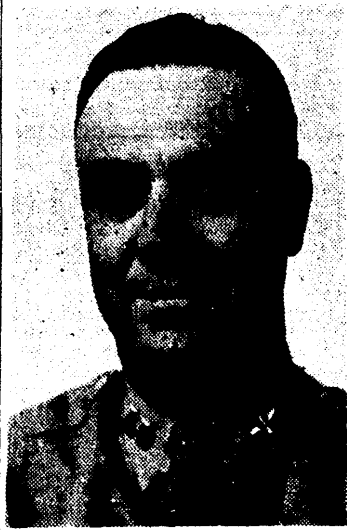
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Clifford Strauss, chairman of the Mine Sweeper-for-Ouachita campaign, issued the following statement:

"We are out to show that we are really in this war. The first four days of the drive gave us inspiration when firms and individuals purchased \$854,000 in government bonds and securities. At the last meeting of the Lion's club, every person pledged himself to buy some this month. Every person present also pledged himself to do his very best.

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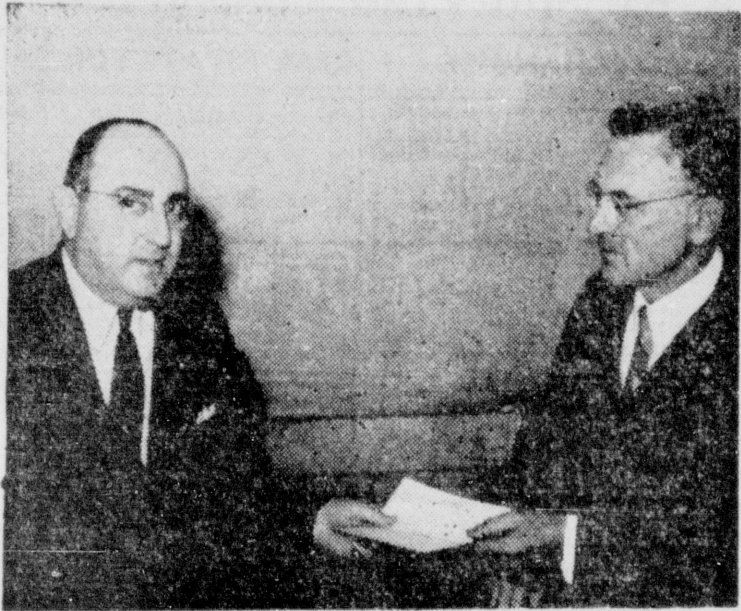
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Here are two of the purchasers of big bonds in the drive now being conducted here for the Second War loan. Above, Lester Scharff, left, general manager of the Monroe Furniture company, buys \$25,000 in bonds from Fred Millsaps, president of the Ouachita National bank, for his company. Below, Mrs. Pauline McCary, manager of Mangels, purchases \$2,000 in bonds for her company from Travis Oliver, president of the Central Savings Bank and Trust company.

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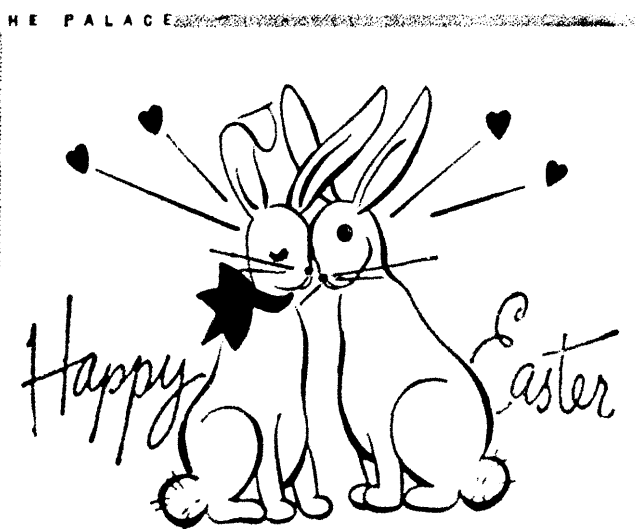
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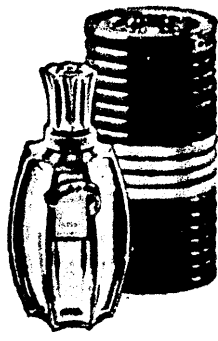
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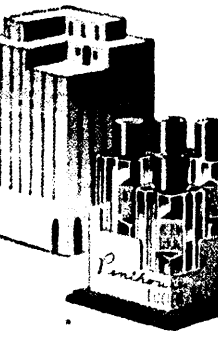
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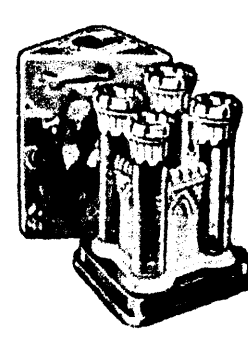
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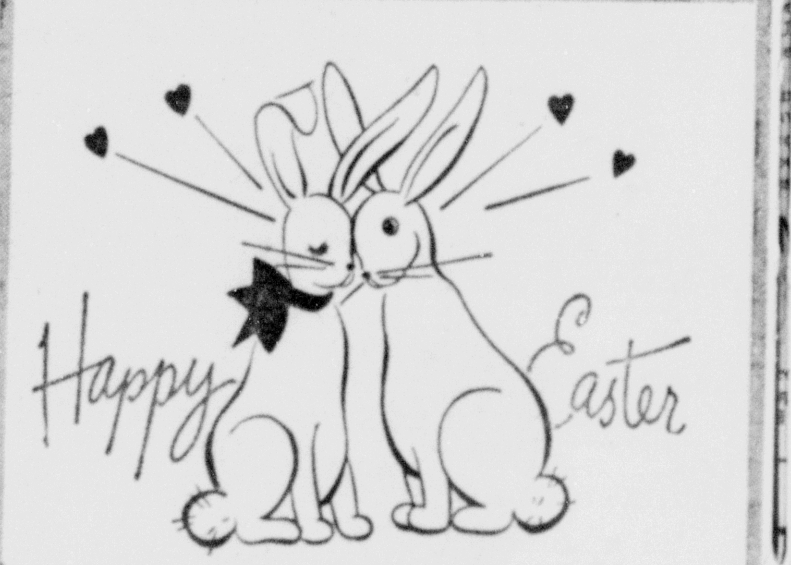
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Judge Kelley is attractive, well groomed and a mother of three children. She knows what she is talking about. Vast experience has been gleaned in the juvenile court where she has handled more than 40,000 cases of human behavior all touching the lives of children. She will talk, Tuesday night, April 27, on the subject of "A Friend in Court."

Another brilliant speaker on the convention program will be Dr. Alice Sowers. As a teacher of home economics at the University of Oklahoma, Dr. Sowers became interested in the influence of the family relationships. Her friendly, practical approach to the problems of childhood assures for parents and teachers sound counsel.

Another group of women, members of the Monroe's two federated garden clubs, are up to their eyebrows in work necessary to make their entertainment of delegates attending the Louisiana Federated Garden club meeting in this city the outstanding event of the year in garden club circles.

There are many ways the women of America can show their patriotism and planning a victory garden is just as patriotic as donning a uniform and joining the WAACS, the WAVES or SPARS.

While victory gardening will claim prominence on the program, the cultivation of flowers and landscaping will claim a share of attention.

The social side of life has not been neglected by members of the Garden clubs responsible for preparing the program. Luncheon at noon on the roof of the Virginia hotel and a boating party later in the evening on board the Noe's Ark, will leave a chain of pleasant memories.

Those who attended this meeting will learn many things of great importance in the matter of flower cultivation in addition to valuable information on victory gardening. The facts learned at this time may be the backbone of the more nearly perfect garden after these times have passed.

Mrs. Clyde Albritton Is Honoree At Party

Miss Beth Albritton entertained with a surprise birthday party complementing Mrs. Clyde Albritton.

Before the delicious refreshments were served, beautifully wrapped gifts were opened by the guest of honor.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Mrs. Clyde Albritton, Mrs. Lavelle Hayden, Mrs. J. W. Odom, Mrs. Eddie Goodson, Mrs. Jack Hollingsworth, Miss Constance Marsala and the hostess, Miss Albritton.

Those present were: Mr. Joseph Craig, Mrs. Charles Gausshel, Mr. Roy Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Barlow Inabnet, Mr. and Mrs. E. Everett Lawson, Mrs. Henry Mayo, Miss Louise Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Selig, Miss Juanita Porter, Miss May Read, Mrs. Ben Stern, Mr. W. J. Vasey, Miss Eloise Calhoun, Mrs. W. H. Shipp and Miss Dorothy Shipp. Mr. Jonas Dean Selig.

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BRIDE OF RECENT DATE



Mrs. Harold Waldrop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carr, whose marriage took place recently. She was formerly Miss Merle Carr.

Fine Arts Club Meets At Home Of Mrs. Selig

The regular monthly meeting of the Fine Arts club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Selig, with Miss May Read and Mrs. Lorenzo Smith serving as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Henry Mayo, president, presided during the business session, at which time routine reports were offered by committee chairmen.

An announcement by Miss Read concerning the presentation of the light opera "Naughty Marietta" at Neville High school auditorium, April 28, was received with interest.

This production by Victor Herbert, one of America's foremost composers, is sponsored by the Ouachita parish unit of L. S. U. Alumni association, and Northeast Junior college.

In line with today's trend to develop American opera, this particular production is representative of a Louisiana colonial period, and is said to be of unusually high order in regards to musical talent, costuming and staging, and one of the best operatic productions ever presented by Louisiana State university music department.

Mrs. F. G. Tatcher, program chairman for the evening, introduced the following interesting program: Piano solo "Grand Galop de Concert," by Ketterer, rendered by Miss Dorothy Shipp; piano number "Improvisation," by Edward McDowell, given by Joseph Craig; vocal selection "Solveig's Song," by Craig, rendered by Mrs. Paul Newman, accompanied by Mrs. E. Everett Lawson.

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Announce Program For P.-T.A. Meeting Here

Everything In Readiness For Annual State Convention To Be Held Next Week

Every thing is in readiness, according to Mrs. W. S. Vincent, president of the Twin City P.-T. A. council, for the state convention of the Louisiana Congress of Parents and Teachers in this city, April 27-28.

The program, one of the most comprehensive of its kind ever arranged for a similar meeting, will be officially opened Tuesday morning at convention headquarters, the terrace of the Frances hotel. The program will be presented as follows:

8:30—Registration.

9:00—Board meeting, Room D.

1:00—Group Singing. Mr. Gilbert Saetre, director.

1:30—Formal Opening of the Convention. Presiding, Mrs. Roger Sharp, first vice-president, Louisiana Congress.

Music: Ouachita Parish High school band. Mr. Walter C. Minniear, director.

Invocation: Rev. A. M. Serex, pastor, First Methodist church.

Greetings: Hon. Harvey H. Benoit, mayor, City of Monroe; Mrs. W. S. Vincent, president, Twin Cities Parents Teachers association.

Response: Mrs. Frances Fowler, goals chairman, Louisiana Congress.

Presentation of Program: Mrs. C. K. Crandall, chairman, State Convention program.

Treasurer's Report: Mrs. Rene Baus.

Address: Convention Theme, Dr. Alice Sowers, vice-president, National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Music: Barkdull-Faulk gram mar school choir. Miss Genevieve Castles, director.

Address: "Louisiana Schools in War Time," Mr. John Cox, state superintendent of education.

President's Report: Mrs. Fagan Cox.

Report of Nominating Committee.

Report of Registration Committee.

Comments.

4:30—Boat ride.

Tuesday Evening, Ouachita Parish High School Auditorium

8:00—Presiding, Mrs. Cecil Brown, second vice-president Louisiana Congress.

Invocation: Rev. Ernest Holloway, pastor, First Presbyterian church.

Music: Neville High school band, Mr. Charles Gausshel, director.

Address: "A Friend in Court," by Judge Camille Kelley, juvenile court, Memphis, Tenn.

Solo: Miss Emma Louis Biedenharn.

Panel Discussion: Judge Camille Kelley, Dr. C. C. Colvert, dean, Northeast Junior college; Dr. Alice Sowers, Lieutenant John Finke, chaplain, Selman field; Miss Mary Mims, sociologist, Louisiana State university and

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Group Singing: Mr. Gilbert Saetre, director.

Address and Exhibit: "Sight Conservation," Miss Mamie Butler, welfare department of Louisiana.

Presentation of Resolutions: Mrs. Waldo Moore.

Talk: "Day Care," Miss Carmelite Janvier.

History of Louisiana Congress: Mrs. Frances Fowler.

Address: "Nutrition During War Time," Miss Hazel Bratley.

Talk: "Camp Fire Organization," Mrs. Fred Benton, parliamentarian, Louisiana.

Summary of Convention: Miss Elizabeth Bothea, head, art department, Louisiana Polytechnic Institute.

Election of Officers.

4:00—Adjournment.

4:15—Meeting of State Board of Managers, Room D.

Displays, Room 210.

Miss Connie Johnson, Sergeant Courson Wed

Of interest to friends in Monroe and vicinity is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Connie Cecil Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson, to First Sergeant Joseph Earl Courson, son of Mrs. Mabel Courson of Monroe.

The wedding was solemnized at Wilmington, N. C., in the post chapel with Reverend Louis Ludlum, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating.

Mrs. James Moore of Monroe was the bride's only attendant. First Sergeant J. W. Walters, served as best man.

The impressive double ring ceremony was used. The bride was attractively attired in a lovely powder blue Eisenberg model with navy accessories. A corsage of pink brier cliff roses and valley lilies completed the distinctive ensemble.

The bride is a graduate of the Ouachita Parish High school and was before her marriage associated with the Durrett Furniture company. The

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groom attended Neville High school before enlisting in the armed forces.

After a brief honeymoon the young couple will be at home in Fort Fisher, N. C., where Sergeant Courson is stationed with the coast artillery. They have an attractive suite in the Hotel Bama.

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'Democratic Living' Is Theme Of Address

Round Table Discussion Held At Meeting Of Ouachita Parish P-T. A. Thursday

"Democratic Living in the Home and State" was the theme of the Ouachita Parish P-T. A. program Thursday afternoon. Mr. F. L. Stricklin acted as chairman of the round table discussion, and made remarks concerning the importance of a democratic way of living. He said: "Important facts brought out were the meaning of democracy. Since American democracy means opportunity, the growth and development of America has been due to the country opening its gates to people of all religious and social differences; there is a place for all able men and women in our national life."

"Religion should have first place in the democratic family and state. Though the Christian home should be the model for the child, this phase of his life is often put into the hands of someone outside of the family. Christian homes make Christian states, and unless the home does its part that element will be lacking in the state."

"There is a great need for education in a democracy. In a democratic form of government, the people are the rulers so each generation must be trained to take over the leadership of democracy. Knowledge, wisdom and loyalty make a better democracy. The democratic home must have cooperation, and each member should learn to forgive and forget. The good qualities in each member should be respected. Discussing problems, trusting one another, and making adjustments easily will help family groups."

"Recreation and leisure should be considered in a democratic life because they lead to a happier life. Today more than ever we can achieve a full and satisfactory life only by wise use of leisure. Material things necessary for the democratic family include economic security, insurance, and health. The home that is ruled by unreasonable force, rather than by cooperation, is out of place in a democratic society. The home is the one institution left where our democratic ideals should be first. In establishing a democratic home things to be established should include a standard of living in harmony with the family income, pre-marital examinations, and a home founded upon intelligence, congeniality, and good judgment."

Mrs. John Young, president, presided during the business session. Mrs. Harry Burdeaux, acting secretary, read a letter from Mrs. Fagan Cox, state P-T.A. president, asking the usual cooperation of teachers and pupils in the grammar school in collecting salvage fats for the armed

RED CROSS CALENDAR SURGICAL DRESSING

Monday night—7 to 9 p. m., Red Cross headquarters, NYA building, West Monroe.

Adolescents' wives, American Legion, 1 to 5 p. m.

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"There is a great need for education in a democracy. In a democratic form of government, the people are the rulers so each generation must be trained to take over the leadership of democracy. Knowledge, wisdom and loyalty make a better democracy. The democratic home must have cooperation, and each member should learn to forgive and forget. The good qualities in each member should be respected. Discussing problems, trusting one another, and making adjustments easily will help family groups."

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Mrs. John Young, president, presided during the business session. Mrs. Harry Burdoux, acting secretary, read a letter from Mrs. Fagan Cox, state P.-T.A. president, asking the usual cooperation of teachers and pupils in the grammar school in collecting salvage fats for the armed

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Mrs. D. L. Nicol, safety chairman, introduced the winners in the recent safety poster and essay contest. Winners displaying posters were Margie McKeithen and Joe Perdue, first prize; Walter Joe Huckaby, second prize; Joe Anne Severance, C. B. Welch, and Beth Wood, honorable mention. The poster contest was supervised by Mr. Joe Craig. The essay contest winners were Alvin B. Mizell, first prize; Charlene Rhodes, second prize; Lawrence Jones, Martha Carroll and Charles Bolden, honorable mention.

The afternoon's attendance prizes were awarded to the freshmen in high school and Mrs. C. E. Buckley's third grade room in the grammar school.

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A big part of her duty is to help the uniformed men who come to her for assistance. They want to know where they can buy certain things and ask her advice about engaging rooms for their wife, mother, or sweetheart coming to visit them. Table arrangements for wedding parties and the matter of flowers for the brides' bouquet are planned by Mrs. Lindsey. Birthday parties are her speciality it seems and as a chaperone for children who visit the hotel she proves invaluable. You see to hold Mrs. Lindsey's position you have to be a combination Emily Post who knows the rules and a Martha who does the work.

Mrs. Charles Royal Fox of Kansas City was given a generous sample of Monroe's traditional hospitality during her visit with her son, Lyle Bennett Fox who is stationed at Selman Field. Mrs. Fox was extensively entertained socially and above all enjoyed a tour of Monroe's beautiful gardens and a trip on the Ouachita river.

Before returning to her home in Kansas City she spent a few days in historical New Orleans in company with Mrs. Verna Faust Manning of this city. It was her first visit to New Orleans and naturally she was delighted with the Vieux Carre where everything is very much the same as it was at the close of the French and Spanish dominations in the 18th century. It was about this time that Jackson Square or the Place d'Armes was founded. This spot was visited by Mrs. Fox and also the Cabildo, now a museum, once the scene of transferring the Louisiana territory from Spain to France, and the Pontalba buildings named for the Baroness Pontalba, America's first apartments, in which Jenny Lind and William Thackeray once resided. Only small sounds disturb the quiet, and the past echoes from the shadowed doorways in the Vieux Carre and that is why visitors today find this spot particularly restful.

It is fortunate that we can at times forget the war and its problems and anything that helps us to forget—especially by turning our minds and hands to creative beauty when so much beauty is being destroyed in the world today—is highly commendable.

The state meeting of the Louisiana Federated Garden clubs in this city next week reminds us that facts learned at this time may be the backbone of the more nearly perfect garden after these times have passed. The two-day program will be brimming with interesting talks and lectures with a charming social hour, when delegates meet for luncheon on the roof of the Virginia hotel, thrown in for good measure.

The Victory Garden will also come in for a share of attention during the two-day meet. All home owners will be urged to do their part in the great defense plan by making use of the land that is weed-grown and useless now.

Garden Club Members

Hear Talk On Iris

In the butterfly room of the Frances hotel members of the Monroe Garden club met last week to learn all about Louisiana iris from a noted authority on the subject, Mr. Ira Nelson of Lafayette.

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"There are four distinct types of iris and from these, three hundred varieties have been cultivated at Southwestern university. The iris likes shade and moisture and only moderately rich soil. It multiplies rapidly and is subject to few diseases. Rust can be controlled by planting in shady places," he said.

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Sherrouse P.-T. A. Board Makes Convention Plans

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State Garden Clubs Meet Here This Week

Large Attendance Expected When Federation Convenes At Virginia Tuesday

With "A Victory Garden for Every Club Member" the slogan, Federated Garden club women of Louisiana will gather for their annual state meeting next Tuesday at the Virginia hotel.

These women are not sacrificing all flower growing during these war days, but they are finding a whole new set of aesthetic values in the round, red fruit of the well grown tomato vine, the sturdy yellow blossom of squash, and the lavender blossom and the bronze purple fruit of the eggplant. Millions of Victory gardeners, by each turn of the spade, are dedicating themselves to the principles for which we fight.

A new feature in the federation this year has been an index of club talent to provide an exchange of speakers between clubs. The program Tuesday evening carries out this idea, as all numbers on the program will be rendered by club members. The highlights of this program will be a vocal solo by Miss Emma Louise Biedenharn, and a lecture and flower arrangement by Mrs. H. N. Ruff, president of the New Orleans club, which boasts of a membership of more than five hundred.

This meeting Tuesday evening is open to the public and all who are interested are urged to attend. A small admission fee will be charged. It is interesting to note that the regional vice-president, Mrs. H. R. Totten, will arrive Tuesday morning from Penny Farms, Fla., to attend the meeting.

The local clubs were fortunate in securing as guest speaker for Wednesday morning, Captain G. H. Salisbury of the local navigation school. Captain Salisbury is a landscape architect from New York state, and will have a wealth of valuable information to offer. The program for the entire meeting is as follows:

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Miss Clara Bell Hair Weds Corporal Wishart

Interest is centered in the announcement of the marriage of Miss Clara Bell Hair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hair of this city and Corporal James A. Wishart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew G. Wishart of Long Island, N. Y., at the North Chapel, Selman Field, this city, April 3, with Chaplain Forrest Hubbell, officiating.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Blanche Etta Hair of Washington, D. C. Corporal Wishart was attended by Corporal Robert Jacobs.

Music Recital Planned At Junior College Here

The music department of Northeast Junior college will present Miss Virginia Townsend and Mrs. William F. McLaughlin, Jr., in recital Monday evening at eight o'clock in the Fine Arts building of the college. Miss Townsend, talented young piano major from Gilbert, La., is a student of Florence Ziegler Albritton. Mrs. McLaughlin, formerly Miss June Bloomer of this city, is a well known and accomplished student of Dallas Goss, voice instructor.

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Corporal and Mrs. James A. Wishart were married at North Chapel, Selman field, this city, April 3. Mrs. Wishart was formerly Miss Clara Bell Hair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hair of this city.

bert); Obstinata—a resolve," (De Foutenaille), June Bloomer McLaughlin.

"Sonata in F Major," (Allegro), (Mozart); "Prelude in C Minor," (Chopin); "Mazurka in B Flat Major," (Chopin), Virginia Townsend.

"Vissi D'Arte, Vissi D'Amore," (Tosca), (Puccini); "Faites-Lui Mes Aveux," (Gounod), June Bloomer McLaughlin.

"Berceuse," (Faure); "Valse Caprice," (Left hand only), (Valdemar); "Souvenir," (Della); "Chinese Lantern Dance," (Brounoff), Virginia Townsend.

"Come Again, Sweet Love Doth Invite," (Dowland); "The Big Brown Bear," (Mans-Zucca); "When I Have Sung My Songs," (Charles); "Annie Laurie," (Scott Ballad), June Bloomer McLaughlin.

Miss Sara Ellen Glaxner, a sophomore at Mexbury college, Erie, Pa., will take part in the spring concert to be presented by the music department of the college, April 13. Miss Glaxner, niece of Miss Grace Aaron, 2205 South Grant street, Monroe, will sing two selections.

"Ich Liebe Dich (I Love Thee), Grieg; Danny Boy (Irish Air), Weatherly.

Staff Sergeant Charles Hull, of the marine corps, stationed at Atlanta, Ga., is now visiting his mother, Mrs. Dollie Hull during a short furlough.

Mrs. Harry C. Bailey is visiting relatives and friends in West Monroe while her husband, Warrant Officer Bailey, is attending officer's training school in North Carolina. The couple formerly lived here.

Mrs. Charles Mitchell left Friday night for Cincinnati, Ohio, to attend the National Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. Mitchell, regent of Fort Miro chapter D. A. R., will represent the state of Louisiana on the American Indian committee.

Mrs. Paul Kirby is visiting her husband, Petty Officer Kirby, who is stationed at Gulfport, Miss.

Lieutenant Henry William Haynes, son of Mrs. H. W. Haynes of Lumberton, Miss., has many friends in this city where he has visited on numerous occasions in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Terzia who will regret to learn that he is now a German prisoner of war. Word to that effect has just been received from Washington. He is a lieutenant in the anti-tank division and has been stationed in Africa since the invasion.

Miss Patsy Slack, student at L. S. U., arrived home for the Easter holidays and was accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary Dell Cobb of Texarkana.

Claiming the interest of friends is the announcement made by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brakefield, 213 Haynes street, West Monroe, of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Robertine, to Mr.

CORPORAL AND MRS. WISHART

band who is stationed in Rhode Island.

Mr. Alford S. Black of Hattiesburg, Miss., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weaver.

Mrs. Milburn Baker has completed a special training course in war work in Cisco, Tex., and has returned home after a short visit from her training school, to Virginia, where her husband is stationed, and has started her work at Camp Livingston this week.

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Corporal Claud Gibson left Friday to return to his training station in Vallejo, Calif.

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Mrs. Ethel Doyle and Mrs. W. M. Haddox spent last week-end in Hugo, Okla., visiting Private and Mrs. Joe Smith, Jr. Private Smith is stationed in Camp Maxie, Tex.

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Convention Theme Of P.-T.A. Is Discussed

Interesting Program Is Presented To Members Of Organization At Neville

If the Louisiana Congress of Parents and Teachers convening in Monroe for the annual state convention, April 27 and 28, carries out its theme, "Protecting Families In Time of War," individuals within that association will face many problems they may not have met before, according to Mrs. C. K. Crandall, president of the Neville High school P.-T. A., who addressed members at their regular April meeting in the school auditorium.

Reminding her fellow-members of the importance of attending each session of the state meeting in this city, she urged them to face the beginning of another year with a full realization that it calls for member effort plus group planning. Specific details of the convention were outlined by Mrs. Crandall, who has been appointed program chairman.

All P.-T. A. members realize that, according to their resolution, their first task is to win the war, to devote all their strength and energies to those activities necessary for national survival. At the same time they must continue adequate support for educational, spiritual, health and social standards.

The routine business of the day was presented and included reports from the treasurer, Mrs. Chas. Guerrier, a letter from the state president, Mrs. Fagan Cox, concerning the salvage drive; a report from Mrs. Thomas Inskeep on the recreational center, and a letter from Mrs. W. S. Vincent of the Twin City council, convention chairman, urging all to attend the convention.

Election of officers for the 1943-44 school year took place with the following officers being unanimously elected: President, Mrs. Aylmer Montgomery; secretary, Mrs. Thomas Inskeep; and treasurer, Mrs. F. L. Smith.

A feature of the afternoon's program was a talk delivered by Paul Neal, principal of Neville High school. He spoke in highest terms of praise of the work accomplished this school term by high school students and also spoke of the excellent grades maintained by students, graduates of the Neville High school, at the various colleges and universities. He spoke of

of her grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Lucas.

Mrs. Helen Howell, Mrs. Louise Jeter and son, James, accompanied by Mrs. Joe Ford of Monroe, spent Sunday in Fairbanks with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyd, Sr.

Pleasant hours were spent Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Le Tard when they entertained with two tables of bridge. Mrs. W. T. Griffin was awarded a prize for high score. Others present were Mrs. G. W. Dalgarn, Mrs. W. H. Griffin, Mrs. Clara Harkness, Miss Minta B. Speir, and Carl Norsworthy. An appetizing salad course was served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brothers of Monroe and Ensign and Mrs. James Brothers of Norfolk, Virginia, visited Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pollock.

Mrs. Buford Lucas left this week to be with her husband, Corporal Lucas, who is stationed at an air field in Alabama.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Miller of Monroe are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Miller and mother.

Leon Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harrell, underwent an appendectomy at a Bastrop hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pollock enjoyed Wednesday evening in Monroe with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brothers and family.

Mrs. W. H. Griffin and Mrs. W. T. Griffin will leave Monday for a visit with Private W. H. Griffin who is stationed at Keesler Field, Miss.

Miss Marie Lee Hilburn and R. V. Hilburn spent the week-end in Alexandria with their sister, Mrs. Rufus Harper, and Mr. Harper.

Mrs. Glen Peterson and son, Stewart, and Mrs. Wesley Stewart and son, Mack, all of Monroe, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stewart and little daughter, Sara Elizabeth, of Arkansas were guests, Wednesday, of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pyron and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Norsworthy.

Mrs. Oliver Haynes and little daughter, Dorothy Elaine, accompanied by Miss Lela Haynes of Crossett, Ark., visited during the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Haynes at Ringgold.

A "pot luck" dinner at the home of Mrs. W. T. Griffin and Mrs. W. H. Griffin was an enjoyable social affair of Wednesday. A variety of good "cats," mostly home raised and home canned, were enjoyed. After dinner a regular meeting of the W. S. C. S. was held. Present were Mesdames A. J. Tarver, John Goble, W. B. Hopgood, Torris Eldridge, W. B. Norsworthy, Alton Norsworthy, R. A. Harper, Henry Wyatt, Guy Boyd, John Le Tard, Clara Harkness, W. H. Griffin and W. T. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Taylor of Monroe were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Goble.

Reverend Porter Lazenby has resigned as pastor of the local Baptist church due to ill health.

Mrs. Fred Raney left recently for Fort Knox, Ky., to be with her husband, Corporal Raney. Mrs. Raney spent several weeks here in the home

of her grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Lucas. experiences as a pioneer physician in Madison parish for the past 40 years. He discussed the ravages of yellow fever and emphasized the courage displayed by many citizens during hardships and stressed the need for heroic living during the crisis through which we are passing.

Emmett C. Craig was welcomed as a new member by the Rev. Dean L. Maurer, John Beverly Stone, junior Rotarian for the month, was introduced by Robert L. Moncrief.

Mrs. W. H. Halbert of Waterproof and Mrs. Ezelle James were week-end visitors to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Halbert here.

Farmerville

Private and Mrs. J. D. Ludwig, Jr. of Farmerville, announce the birth of their first child, a son, Roye Dwain, on April 12th. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ludwig and Mrs. Will Ward of Farmerville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Smith of Mobile, Ala., formerly of Farmerville, announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Sandra Glynn, on April 7th. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Reech and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Farmerville.

Technical Sergeant and Mrs. George Auld have returned to Lawrenceville, Ill., after a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Auld and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunt at Spearsville.

Mrs. Bert Chapman of Orange, Tex., Mrs. H. E. Shirley of El Dorado, Mrs. M. Nixon Chandler of Mobile, Ala., and Sergeant Monroe Gray Tettleton of Camp Shelby, Miss., were called here Monday on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Monroe Tettleton, who underwent a major operation at a hospital in Monroe Monday.

Mrs. Corinne Dozier of Delhi is spending the week in Farmerville with her sister, Mrs. Stein Baughman.

Mrs. W. O. Roberts and little son, Harry Thomas, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Tom L. Roberts in Missouri.

Mrs. J. W. Breathitt spent Tuesday in Marion with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cobb.

Mrs. George D. Sanders spent three days this week in Monroe with her sister, Mrs. Lula Buce and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harper and daughters of El Dorado, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Mace Compton visited their son, Robert Milwood Compton, at Camp Beauregard for the week-end. Mrs. J. T. Williams accompanied them and visited her son, John Lee Williams, who is also stationed there. They were guests also of Mr. and Mrs. Compton's son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves, at Alexandria.

Captain and Mrs. Armand F. Rabun left Friday for Fort Benning, Ga., where he will now be stationed, after a several days visit in Farmerville with their mother, Mrs. Z. C. Rabun.

Z. C. Rabun, Jr., of La Guardia Field, New York, is spending a while here with his mother, Mrs. Z. C. Rabun, before being sent to another field.

Mrs. Mary Norman McKinney of Longview, Texas, was the guest of Mrs. Ruby C. Russell Friday.

Miss Lucy Nell Wainwright of Shreveport spent the week-end in Farmerville with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Wainwright.

Mrs. G. R. Boone returned Friday from a three weeks' visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roye Boone at Fryburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blake and children of West Monroe spent the week-end here with Mrs. Blake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pickel.

Miss Franklin Goss of Shreveport spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goss.

Eros

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rogers and sons, Roland and Larry, of Rochelle was the recent week-end guest of Mrs. J. R. Rogers and daughter, Audrey.

Private Boyce Chambliss of Camp Robinson, Ark., was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. Chambliss and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thornton and family of Lake Charles was the recent guest of friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Pearl Merideth and daughter, Donna, of Chatham was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hearne recently.

Miss Virginia Tinsley of Simsboro, who is a teacher of Eros school, was the recent guest of relatives.

Corporal and Mrs. Raymond Crowell of Ft. Sill, Okla., was the guest of relatives here recently.

Word has been received here that Corporal Joyce Chambliss, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Chambliss, has been pro-

moted to Sergeant. Sergeant Chambliss is stationed at Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Staff Sergeant J. T. Storey, Jr., of Columbus, Miss., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Storey and family.

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Mrs. Jesse James and little daughter, Mary Linda, of Ida are visiting Mrs. James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Trotter of Jackson, La., spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Higginbotham.

Little Miss Mary Emma Wilson of Monroe is the guest this week of her grandmother, Mrs. A. N. Williams.

Miss Bonnie Jean Ginn was the guest last week-end of Miss Mary Anita Lennon in Monroe.

Willis Montgomery is recuperating from his recent illness in the St. Francis sanitarium in Monroe.

Dinner at high noon was the occasion of a delightful entertainment at the A. H. Davenport home on Sunday. Miss Eleanor Davenport, home for the week-end, was hostess to her L. S. U. friends editing the Morehouse Enterprise. A delicious dinner true to southern tradition was served.

to Misses June Bacon, Evelyn Jarrell, Mrs. Marian Blusman, and Messers. Lloyd Lenard, Paul Walker, and John Earle Blanchard, and the hostess.

Miss June Bacon, who matriculated at L. S. U., spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Bacon.

Master Max Hornbeak, tiny son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Hornbeak, is spending the week with his grandparents in Homer.

Miss Bonnie Marie Windsor was the guest last week-end of Joyce Howell in Delhi.

Mr. and Mrs. Leverette Cheshire and daughter, Corrine of Monroe were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cheshire.

Mrs. L. H. Lawrence of Monroe was the overnight guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tucker, Wednesday.

The Turpin family enjoyed a short but delightful reunion Sunday when the family gathered at the old family home on the Oak Ridge road with Mr. and Mrs. Baynard Turpin, hosts. After a delicious old-fashioned dinner everyone took his seat on the big gallery and discussed old and new times.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Larkin, Mrs. J. D. Simpson, and daughter, of Shaw, Miss, Albert Eubanks of Perryville, Douglas Eubanks of Selman field, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rawlinson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Turpin and children of Bastrop, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Davidson, Mrs. James Slack, and the hosts.

Master Dan Evans entertained a small group of his friends with a picture show party on his birthday, Saturday. The picture, a "cowboy" one, the kind that thrill little children

so, was especially suited to the group. After the movie the party assembled at the Evans home for the refreshments that always complete a birthday party.

Miss Lucille Eckles, who teaches in the Kilbourne school, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Eckles, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Courtney, and daughters, Mrs. Jack Riggsby and Miss Mary Courtney, attended the funeral of a near relative in Dermott, Ark., Tuesday.

Mrs. Lawson Higginbotham who has been an invalid at her home for several months, has been removed to a Monroe hospital where she is seriously ill.

Mangham

Mrs. Theo Jones and Miss Mary Elizabeth Hicks spent Saturday and Sunday visiting in Alexandria.

Miss Mary Virginia McConnell is enjoying a visit in Baton Rouge with her brother and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Claude Stokes McConnell.

Mrs. W. E. Hixon accompanied by

Mrs. Mattie Gaudin, Mrs. E. T. Miss Marjorie Hunt and Miss Margie Bahn spent last week-end in Baton Rouge with relatives.

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Mrs. A. V. Landry, Mrs. Harriette, Mrs. Walter Tillman, Mrs. T. D. O. spent the week-end in Baton Rouge and New Orleans with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Randall and the daughter motored to Shreveport Sunday where they spent the week with his mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Curry are enjoying a visit from their daughter and grand-daughter, Mrs. Ellis Houston, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bragg motored to New Orleans this week where Mr. Bragg received new treatment.

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7:30 A. M.—The Holy Eucharist

9:30 A. M.—The Church School

11:00 A. M.—Choral Celebration of the Eucharist, Procession of Palm and Sermon by the Rector

5:00 P. M.—Evensong

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Note: The Blessing of Palm at 7:30 Eucharist
Distribution at All Services.

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Convention Theme Of P.-T.A. Is Discussed

Interesting Program Is Presented To Members Of Organization At Neville

If the Louisiana Congress of Parents and Teachers convening in Monroe for the annual state convention, April 27 and 28, carries out its theme, "Protecting Families In Time of War," individuals within that association will face many problems they may not have met before, according to Mrs. C. K. Crandall, president of the Neville High school P.-T. A., who addressed members at their regular April meeting in the school auditorium.

Reminding her fellow-members of the importance of attending each session of the state meeting in this city, she urged them to face the beginning of another year with a full realization that it calls for member effort plus group planning. Specific details of the convention were outlined by Mrs. Crandall, who has been appointed program chairman.

All P.-T. A. members realize that, according to their resolution, their first task is to win the war, to devote all their strength and energies to those activities necessary for national survival. At the same time they must continue adequate support for educational, spiritual, health and social standards.

The routine business of the day was presented and included reports from the treasurer, Mrs. Chas. Guerrier, a letter from the state president, Mrs. Fagan Cox, concerning the salvage drive; a report from Mrs. Thomas Inskeep on the recreational center, and a letter from Mrs. W. S. Vincent of the Twin City council, convention chairman, urging all to attend the convention.

Election of officers for the 1943-44 school year took place with the following officers being unanimously elected: President, Mrs. Aylmer Montgomery; secretary, Mrs. Thomas Inskeep; and treasurer, Mrs. F. L. Smith.

A feature of the afternoon's program was a talk delivered by Paul Neal, principal of Neville High school. He spoke in highest terms of praise of the work accomplished this school term by high school students and also spoke of the excellent grades maintained by students, graduates of the Neville High school, at the various colleges and universities. He spoke of

the improved conditions and the attitude and disposition of students since R. O. T. C. has been introduced at the Neville High school.

New officers of the Neville P.-T. A. will be installed at the May meeting.

Collinston

Mr. and Mrs. Windsor Puckett and two daughters have returned here to make their home after residing in Springhill for the past five years. Mr. Puckett is employed at the Dixie ordnance plant in Sterling.

Mrs. Charles Merryman has returned home after spending several months in the west with Mr. Merryman.

Private Jack Dawson Langston of Barkdale field is enjoying a ten day furlough here with his mother and homefolks.

Mrs. C. B. Akin of Monroe visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Torris Eldridge.

Miss Nan Floyd of Gilbert was a recent guest of Miss Lucille Hughes and Mrs. J. B. Caldwell.

Mrs. Oliver Haynes and little daughter, Dorothy Elaine, accompanied by Miss Lela Haynes of Crossett, Ark., visited during the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Haynes at Ringgold.

A "pot luck" dinner at the home of Mrs. W. T. Griffin and Mrs. W. H. Griffin was an enjoyable social affair of Wednesday. A variety of good "eats," mostly home raised and home canned, were enjoyed. After dinner a regular meeting of the W. S. C. S. was held. Present were Mesdames A. J. Tarver, John Goble, W. B. Hopgood, Torris Eldridge, W. B. Norsworthy, Alton Norsworthy, R. A. Harper, Henry Wyatt, Guy Boyd, John Le Tard, Clara Harkness, W. H. Griffin and W. T. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Taylor of Monroe were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Goble.

Reverend Porter Lazenby has resigned as pastor of the local Baptist church due to ill health.

Mrs. Fred Raney left recently for Fort Knox, Ky., to be with her husband, Corporal Raney. Mrs. Raney spent several weeks here in the home

of her grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Lucas.

Mrs. Helen Howell, Mrs. Louise Jeter and son, James, accompanied by Mrs. Joe Ford of Monroe, spent Sunday in Fairbanks with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyd, Sr.

Pleasant hours were spent Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Le Tard when they entertained with two tables of bridge. Mrs. W. T. Griffin was awarded a prize for high score. Others present were Mrs. G. W. Dalgarn, Mrs. W. H. Griffin, Mrs. Clara Harkness, Miss Minta B. Speer, and Carl Norsworthy. An appetizing salad course was served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brothers of Monroe and Ensign and James Brothers of Norfolk, Virginia visited Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pollock.

Mrs. Buford Lucas left this week to be with her husband, Corporal Lucas, who is stationed at an air field in Alabama.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Miller of Monroe are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Miller and mother.

Leon Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harrell, underwent an appendectomy at a Bastrop hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pollock enjoyed Wednesday evening in Monroe with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brothers and family.

Mrs. W. H. Griffin and Mrs. W. T. Griffin will leave Monday for a visit with Private W. H. Griffin who is stationed at Keesler Field, Miss.

Miss Margie Lee Hilburn and R. V. Hilburn spent the week-end in Alexandria with their sister, Mrs. Rufus Harper, and Mr. Harper.

Mrs. Glen Peterson and son, Stewart, and Mrs. Wesley Stewart and son, Mack, all of Monroe, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stewart and little daughter, Sara Elizabeth, of Arkansas were guests, Wednesday, of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pyron and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Norsworthy.

Tallulah

The monthly meeting of the Town and Country club was held at the home of Mrs. L. G. Storey on Friday evening with Mrs. Delma Devine presiding in the absence of the president. The guest speaker was Dr. Attie Leves who gave an interesting talk on "Obstetrics and Pediatrics."

Delicious refreshments were attractively served during the social hour to Mrs. James Garrett, Mrs. Delma Devine, Mrs. Francis Jordan, Mrs. Jesse Anderson, Mrs. Paul Schwartz, Mrs. L. G. Storey, Mrs. Charles Brown, Mrs. N. H. Sawyer, Dr. Leves and Mrs. Delma Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar T. Lee will leave Thursday for a week's stay in New Orleans.

Members of circle 4 of the Baptist Missionary Union presented a play, "Individual Witness," under the direction of Mrs. S. C. Smith at the union meeting of all circles of the organization at the Baptist church on Monday afternoon. Mrs. H. S. Weaver presided over the business session which followed the program.

The Coltharp circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met at Red Cross headquarters on Monday afternoon for work on surgical dressings. Those in attendance were Mrs. T. B. Justice, Mrs. Norwood Duke, Mrs. W. E. Regnold, Mrs. W. W. Halbert, Mrs. S. Antley, Mrs. Frazier of Jonesville; Mrs. W. D. Ziegler and Mrs. W. W. Halbert.

The April meeting of the Madison Parish Garden club was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Amy Holmes with Mrs. F. D. Naylor and Mrs. Fred McDuff as co-hostesses. In the absence of the president, Mrs. J. H. Devine presided.

A program on "Seeds" was presented by Mrs. T. P. Kell who in addition to the interesting talk by Miss Annette Beers and an appropriate poem by Mrs. G. S. Stovall had planned a display of unusual seeds. Mrs. Horace Maxwell who has traveled extensively explained several odd seeds which she had collected in different places. Mrs. Devine gave a brief on the Texas blue bonnet.

Delicious refreshments were served during the enjoyable social hour which followed the program.

Mrs. Clifford C. Adams and little son, Calvin of New Orleans, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Neal T. Holt.

Friends will be interested to learn that Lieutenant Maurice R. Ursery was recently promoted from second to first lieutenant. He is stationed at Lake Land, Fla. Mrs. Ursery is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams. Previous to his enlistment Lieutenant Ursery was band director for the St. Joseph and Waterproof High schools.

At the weekly meeting of the Tallulah Rotary club Dr. G. W. Gaines, veteran physician of Tallulah, gave a most interesting account of his ex-

periences as a pioneer physician in Madison parish for the past 40 years. He discussed the ravages of yellow fever and emphasized the courage displayed by many citizens during hardships and stressed the need for heroic living during the crisis through which we are passing.

Ennet C. Craig was welcomed as a new member by the Rev. Dean L. Maurer. John Beverly Stone, junior Rotarian for the month, was introduced by Robert L. Moncrief.

Mrs. W. H. Halbert of Waterproof and Mrs. Ezelle James were week-end visitors to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Halbert here.

Farmerville

Private and Mrs. J. D. Ludwig, Jr., of Farmerville, announce the birth of their first child, a son, Roye Dwain, on April 12th. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ludwig and Mrs. Will Ward of Farmerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Rastie Smith of Mobile, Ala., formerly of Farmerville, announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, Sandra Glynn, on April 7th. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Reech and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Farmerville.

Technical Sergeant and Mrs. George Auld have returned to Lawrenceville, Ill., after a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Auld and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunt at Spearsville.

Mrs. Bert Chapman of Orange, Tex., Mrs. H. E. Shirley of El Dorado, Mrs. Nixon Chandler of Mobile, Ala., and Sergeant Monroe Gray Tettleton of Camp Shelby, Miss., were called here Monday on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Monroe Tettleton, who underwent a major operation at a hospital in Monroe Monday.

Mrs. Corinne Dozier of Delhi is spending the week in Farmerville with her sister, Mrs. Stein Baughman.

Mrs. W. O. Roberts and little son, Harry Thomas, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Tom L. Roberts in Missouri.

Mrs. J. W. Breathwit spent Tuesday in Marion with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cobb.

Mrs. George D. Sanders spent three days this week in Monroe with her sister, Mrs. Lula Buce and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harper and daughters of El Dorado, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Compton visited their son, Robert Milwood Compton, at Camp Beaufort for the week-end. Mrs. J. T. Williams accompanied them and visited her son, John Lee Williams, who is also stationed there. They were guests also of Mr. and Mrs. Compton's son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves, at Alexandria.

Captain and Mrs. Armond F. Rabun left Friday for Fort Benning, Ga., where he will now be stationed, after a several days visit in Farmerville with their mother, Mrs. Z. C. Rabun.

Z. C. Rabun, Jr., of La Guardia Field, New York, is spending a while here with his mother, Mrs. Z. C. Rabun, before being sent to another field.

Mrs. Mary Norman McKinney of Longview, Texas, was the guest of Mrs. Ruby C. Russell Friday.

Miss Lucy Nell Wainwright of Shreveport spent the week-end in Farmerville with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Wainwright.

Mrs. G. R. Boone returned Friday from a three weeks' visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roye Boone at Fryburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blake and children of West Monroe spent the week-end here with Mrs. Blake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pickel.

Miss Franklin Goss of Shreveport spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goss.

Eros

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rogers and sons, Roland and Larry, of Rochelle was the recent week-end guest of Mrs. J. R. Rogers and daughter, Audrey.

Private Boyce Chambliss of Camp Robinson, Ark., was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. Chambliss and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thornton and family of Lake Charles was the recent guest of friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Pearl Merideth and daughter, Donna, of Chatham was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hearne recently.

Miss Virginia Tinsley of Simsboro, who is a teacher of Eros school, was the recent guest of relatives.

Corporal and Mrs. Raymond Crowell of Ft. Sill, Okla., was the guest of relatives here recently.

Word has been received here that Corporal Joyce Chambliss, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Chambliss, has been pro-

motored to Sergeant. Sergeant Chambliss is stationed at Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Staff Sergeant J. T. Storey, Jr., of Columbus, Miss., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Storey and family.

Private First Class Marvin Salsbury of Selman field is the guest of his parents.

Private First Class Edward Fuller of Selman field is the guest of his parents.

Mer Rouge

Miss Eleanor Davenport of L. S. U. was the guest last week-end of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davenport.

Mrs. Jesse James and little daughter, Mary Linda, of Ida are visiting Mrs. James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Trotter of Jackson, La., spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Higginbotham.

Little Miss Mary Emma Wilson of Monroe is the guest this week of her grandmother, Mrs. A. N. Williams.

Miss Bonnie Jean Ginn was the guest last week-end of Miss Mary Anita Lennon in Monroe.

Willis Montgomery is recuperating from his recent illness in the St. Francis sanitarium in Monroe.

Dinner at high noon was the occasion of a delightful entertainment at the A. H. Davenport home on Sunday. Miss Eleanor Davenport, home for the week-end, was hostess to her L. S. U. friends editing the Morehouse Enterprise. A delicious dinner true to southern tradition was served

to Misses June Bacon, Evelyn Jarrell, Mrs. Marian Blusman, and Messrs. Lloyd Lenard, Paul Walker, and John Earle Blanchard, and the hostess.

Miss June Bacon, who matriculates at L. S. U., spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Bacon.

Master Max Hornbeak, tiny son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Hornbeak, is spending the week with his grandparents in Homer.

The guest last week-end of Joyce Howell in Delhi.

Mr. and Mrs. Leverette Cheshire and daughter, Corrine of Monroe were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cheshire.

Mrs. L. H. Lawrence of Monroe was the overnight guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tucker, Wednesday.

The Turpin family enjoyed a short but delightful reunion Sunday when the family gathered at the old family home on the Oak Ridge road with Mr. and Mrs. Baynard Turpin, hosts. After a delicious old-fashioned dinner everyone took his seat on the big gallery and discussed old and new times. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Larkin, Mrs. J. D. Simpson, and daughter, of Shaw, Miss. Albert Eubanks of Perryville, Douglas Eubanks of Selman field, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rawlinson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Turpin and children of Bastrop, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Davidson, Mrs. James Slack, and the hosts.

Master Dan Evans entertained a small group of his friends with a picture show party on his birthday, Saturday. The picture, a "cowboy" one, the kind that thrill little children

so, was especially suited to the group. After the movie the party assembled at the Evans home for the refreshments that always complete a birthday party.

Miss Lucille Eckles, who teaches in the Kilbourne school, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Eckles, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Courtney, and daughters, Mrs. Jack Rigby and Miss Mary Courtney, attended the funeral of a near relative in Dermott, Ark., Tuesday.

Mrs. Lawson Higginbotham who has been an invalid at her home for several months, has been removed to a Monroe hospital where she is seriously ill.

Mangham

Mrs. Theo Jones and Miss Mary Elizabeth Hicks spent Saturday and Sunday visiting in Alexandria.

Miss Mary Virginia McConnell is enjoying a visit in Baton Rouge with her brother and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Claude Stokes McConnell.

Mrs. W. E. Hixon accompanied by

Mrs. Mattie Gaudin, Mrs. E. T. Lee, Miss Marjorie Hunt and Miss Margaret Bahn spent last week-end in Baton Rouge with relatives.

Mrs. Charles Bailey and little daughter of Monroe were recent guests of Mrs. R. E. Kenton, Mrs. Frank Adams and other relatives.

Mrs. A. V. Landry, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Walter Tillman, Mrs. T. D. Case spent the week-end in Baton Rouge and New Orleans with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Randall and little daughter motored to Shreveport Sunday where they spent the day with his mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Curry are enjoying a visit from their daughter and grand-daughter, Mrs. Ellis of Houston, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boughton motored to New Orleans this week, where Mr. Boughton received medical treatment.

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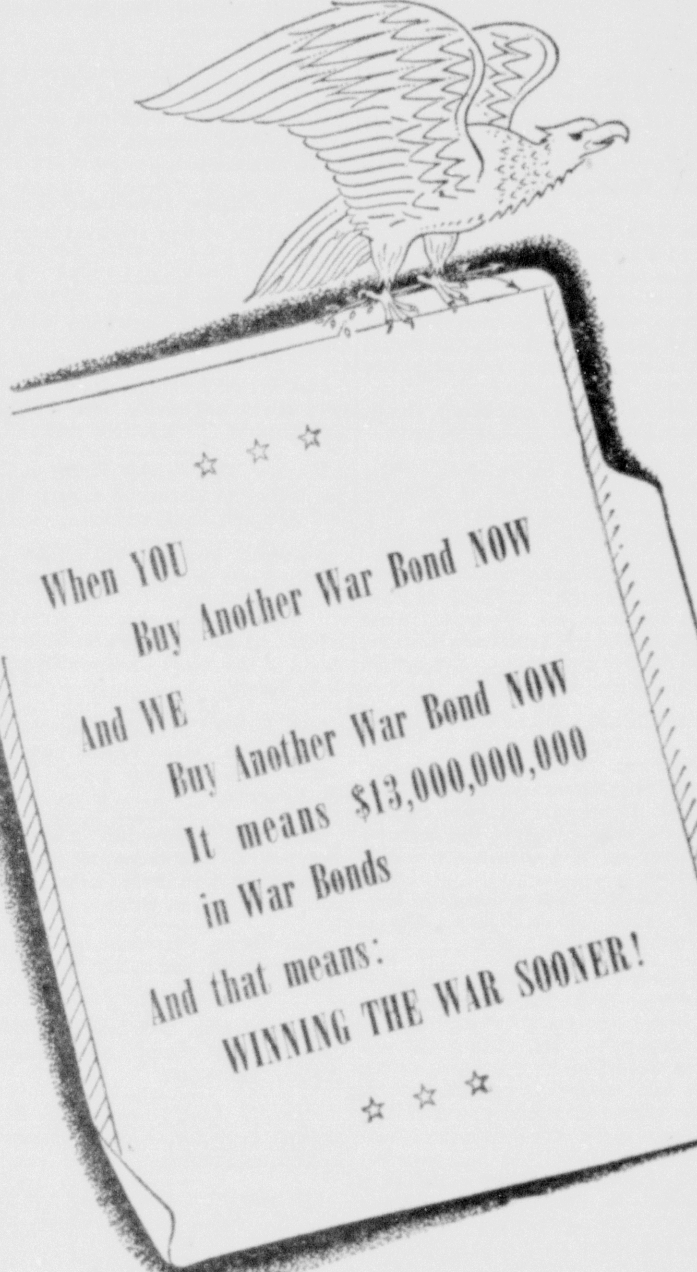
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PASSOVER WILL BE CELEBRATED

Over 400 Expected To Attend Sedar Supper Held At USO Rooms

The approach of the Passover, the Jewish holiday celebrating the redemption of the Jews from Egyptian bondage and the eventual achievement of human freedom, finds both Selman and the community of the Twin Cities prepared to provide for the religious observance as it affects Jewish servicemen at the field.

The holiday begins with the Sedar, which will be held at the Monroe USO club, at sunset Monday evening, April 19, and ends at sunset Tuesday evening, April 20.

More than 300 Jewish officers, soldiers, and enlisted men have already registered at Selman field and at the USO club their intention to attend the Sedar Monday evening in the USO ballroom. In addition an invitation has been extended to the 75 WAACs of Jewish faith stationed at Camp Ruston to attend the Passover Sedar service. Lieutenant Mary Fabian, special service officer at Camp Ruston, has arranged transportation for the WAACs with the military authorities.

This report for this occasion will be provided by the Jewish citizens of Monroe, contributing under the auspices of the Temple B'Nai Israel Synagogue, B'Nai Brit, and the Temple Men's club. The Sedar service will be conducted in the traditional manner by Rabbi Isaac Jack Melitz, 322nd Base Headquarters squadron, Private Herbert L. Fetter, 322nd Base Headquarters squadron, and Cadet Paul Lapoksky, Advanced Navigation school. The National Jewish Welfare board is contributing matzo and Haggadahs for the servicemen.

Rabbi F. K. Hersh, of Temple B'Nai Israel in Monroe, who initiated plans for the Sedar, estimated that over 400 will be present. All who indicate a desire to be present will be welcomed, has been announced by Selman field headquarters. Passes for this purpose will expire at 10:30 p. m. Monday. All servicemen are urged to sign up at the USO club immediately both for themselves and their wives.

During the entire Passover period, unleavened bread, or matzo, will be available at all messes at the post, according to Captain Arthur M. Culpepper, administrative supervisor of messes.



Here are some of the war manpower commission's war shop at 901 South Grand street. These girls are busy learning how to serve the nation in war industries. Following completion of their training here, they are referred to the United States employment service which places them in airplane factories, shipyards and other vital industries which are turning out the implements of war with which the Allied nations will batter the Axis into submission.

NIGHTLY SERVICE FOR METHODISTS

The First Methodist church in Monroe will observe Holy Week with special services nightly at 8 o'clock.

The pastor, Dr. A. M. Serey, will preach on the following topics: Monday night, "The Garden of Gethsemane"; Tuesday night, "The Trial of Christ"; Wednesday night, "The Silent Christ"; Thursday night, "What about Judas?"; Friday night, "On the Cross".

Holy communion will be observed Thursday evening.

Because of the large crowds that will attend services on Easter, it has been decided to hold two preaching services. The first will be at 9:30 p. m. and the other at 11 a. m.

An Easter cantata will be rendered at 8 o'clock and a baptismal service for infants and small children Easter Sunday at 4 p. m. At this hour an Easter cantata will be rendered directed by Mrs. Clive Sanders and with Mrs. John Sholars as organist.

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Women Trained Here To Take Jobs In War Industry Plants

A little-publicized shop at 901 South Grand street is turning out efficient workers for Uncle Sam's war industries.

It is the War Manpower Commission's war shop, which is training young women between the ages of 16 and 25, either married or single, to become welders, structural workers or machine operators, and when upon completion of their course here, will be given lucrative jobs in plants which are manufacturing airplanes, ships and other war equipment.

Briefly, the training period is from eight to 12 weeks. In addition to receiving this valuable training free of charge, a nominal salary is paid the trainees and uniforms are furnished without cost. The training period lasts from 8:30 a. m. to 4 p. m. five days a week, and plans are being made to start an evening shift in the near future.

Upon successful completion of the training period, the girls are sent to the United States employment service for placement in various industrial plants which are manufacturing war equipment. They may be sent to an airplane factory at Fort Worth or to the shipyards at Houston or New Orleans or to some other plant which is engaged in turning out essential material. Incidentally, the hourly wage paid at these plants is 60c to \$1.00 per hour, with overtime.

In all, more than 5,000 young women have been placed in various airplane factories and shipyards of Louisiana and Texas by these training schools during the past several months.

But that's only a starter. Officials have said that more than 2,000,000 additional women workers will be needed this year in the various war plants, and that's where the Monroe school and others like it will prove their real worth. And that's also where patriotic young women will prove their real worth in the war effort.

The government needs women workers. The Monroe school will train them without cost to the trainee, and will place them in jobs where the pay is good. Directors of the local school ask that women interested contact them at 901 South Grand street, or telephone 5110.

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PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CONFER

33rd Annual Meeting Of Red River Auxiliary Held In Monroe

The 33rd annual meeting of the woman's auxiliary of the Red River Presbyterian church here, proved one of the most successful in its long history, stated Mrs. W. R. Hatchell, local unit president. The attendance was approximately one hundred, and many cities and towns of north Louisiana were represented.

Officers elected to serve for the ensuing year are: Mrs. T. D. Connell, Jr., Belcher, La., president; Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Sr., Alto, vice-president; Mrs. W. F. Conway, Shreveport, secretary; Mrs. J. A. Ward, Shreveport, treasurer; Mrs. C. R. Williamson, Springhill, spiritual life secretary; Mrs. O. M. Arnett, historic; Mrs. A. R. Cates, Rayville, secretary of foreign missions; Mrs. M. L. Guice, Winnabro, secretary of home missions; Mrs. O. G. Henry, Mansfield, secretary of literature. Three life memberships were bestowed upon the following: Mrs. H. D. Haberman, Shreveport; Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Sr., Alto, and Mrs. C. G. Pardue, Alto.

Mrs. John Reed, Bastrop, secretary of Christian Social service; Mrs. W. M. Bagwell, Choudrant, secretary of religious education; Mrs. Susanna Schenbrodt, New Orleans, councillor of business women; Mrs. J. P. Lawson, Shreveport, in charge of college work.

District chairmen were named as follows: Belcher group, Mrs. Curtis Tanner, Shreveport; Ferriday group, Mrs. Monroe, Ferriday; Natchitoches group, Mrs. A. L. Wallace, Shreveport; Rayville group, Mrs. R. H. Hardage, Downsville; Springhill group, Mrs. Chatten Haynes, Springhill.

All outgoing officers and district chairmen received awards for their work the past year. There were:

Mrs. Joe Darwin, Shreveport; Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Shreveport; Mrs. D. C. Smith, Monroe; Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Alto; Mrs. Joe Flonken, Shreveport; Mrs. F. R. Gray, Ferriday; Mrs. A. L. Wallace, Shreveport; Mrs. R. H. Hardage, Downsville; Mrs. C. Haynes, Springhill; Mrs. A. J. Hodges, Ferriday; Mrs. H. B. Hatcher, Shreveport; Mrs. F. R. Williamson, Springhill and Mrs. John Reed, Bastrop.

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The holiday begins with the Sedar, which will be held at the Monroe USO club, at sunset Monday evening, April 19, and ends at sunset Tuesday evening, April 20.

More than 300 Jewish officers, soldiers, and enlisted men have already registered at Selman field and at the USO club their intention to attend the seder Monday evening in the USO ballroom. In addition an invitation has been extended to the 75 WAACs of Jewish faith stationed at Camp Rusk to attend the Passover Sedar service. Lieutenant Mary Fabian, special service officer at Camp Rusk, has arranged transportation for the WAACs with the military authorities.

The seder for this occasion will be provided by the Jewish citizens of Monroe, contributing under the auspices of the Temple B'Nai Israel Synagogue, B'Nai Brith, and the Temple Men's club. The Sedar service will be conducted in the traditional manner by Staff Sergeant Jack Melitz, 329th Base Headquarters squadron, Private Herbert L. Fetter, 329th Base Headquarters squadron, and Cadet Paul Kapolsky, Advanced Navigation school, The National Jewish Welfare board is contributing matzos and Haggadahs for the servicemen.

Rabbi F. K. Hirsch, of Temple B'Nai Israel in Monroe, who initiated plans for the Sedar, estimated that over 400 will be present. All who indicate a desire to be present will be welcomed. It has been announced by Selman field headquarters. Passes for this purpose will expire at 10:30 p. m. Monday. All servicemen are urged to sign up at the USO club immediately both for themselves and their wives.

During the entire Passover period, unleavened bread, or matzos, will be available at all messes at the post, according to Captain Arthur M. Culp, administrative supervisor of messes.

NIGHTLY SERVICE FOR METHODISTS

The First Methodist church in Monroe will observe Holy Week with special pre-Easter services nightly at 8 o'clock.

The pastor, Dr. A. M. Serex, will

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Holy communion will be observed Thursday evening.

Because of the large crowds that will attend services on Easter, it has been decided to hold two preaching services. The first will be at 9:30 p. m., and the other at 11 a. m.

An Easter cantata will be rendered for infants and small children Easter Sunday at 4 p. m. At this hour an Easter cantata will be rendered directed by Mrs. Clyde Sanders and with Mrs. John Sholars as organist.

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PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CONFER

33rd Annual Meeting Of Red River Auxiliary Held In Monroe

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Officers elected to serve for the ensuing year are: Mrs. T. D. Connell, Jr., Belcher, La., president; Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Sr., Alto, vice-president; Mrs. W. F. Conway, Shreveport, secretary; Mrs. J. A. Ward, Shreveport, treasurer; Mrs. C. R. Williamson, Springhill, spiritual life secretary; Mrs. O. M. Arnett, historian; Mrs. A. R. Cates, Rayville, secretary of foreign missions; Mrs. M. L. Guice, Winnsboro, secretary of home missions; Mrs. O. G. Henry, Mansfield, secretary of literature. Three life memberships were bestowed upon the following: Mrs. H. D. Haberman, Shreveport; Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Sr., Alto, and Mrs. C. G. Pardue, Alto.

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For several months now, this agency here has been training women who have gone out to assist in the war effort. And more women are needed to carry on where men have been called to the service.

Briefly, the training period is from eight to 12 weeks. In addition to receiving this valuable training free of charge, a nominal salary is paid the trainees and uniforms are furnished without cost. The training period lasts from 8:30 a. m. to 4 p. m., five days a week, and plans are being made to start an evening shift in the near future.

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But that's only a starter. Officials have said that more than 2,000,000 additional women workers will be needed this year in the various war plants, and that's where the Monroe school and others like it will prove their real worth. And that's also where patriotic young women will prove their real worth in the war effort.

The government needs women workers. The Monroe school will train them without cost to the trainee, and will place them in jobs where the pay is good. Directors of the local school ask that women interested contact them at 901 South Grand street, or telephone 5119.

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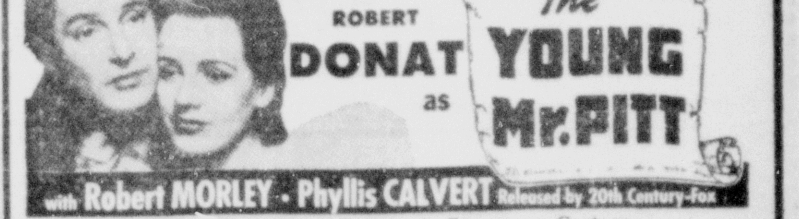
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Calf Nets Him Over \$534
—Other Winners

Everette Zeagler, 17, Ouachita parish 4-H club member, took honors at the livestock show in Baton Rouge the past week when his 713 pound steer won the reserve championship. It was sold at 75 cents a pound and netted its owner \$534.75. Everette has been interested in 4-H club work for four years and this year will wind up his work in this group as he will soon be 18 years of age, the deadline for 4-H club classification. He owns the mother of this calf which was sired by a bull of Neal McHenry.

Cecil McMullin, entering a Jersey heifer, won the district championship and he was made richer by just \$102. His cow was second in the state in the milking class. This was the first year that Jersey heifers have been shown at the livestock show by the local group.

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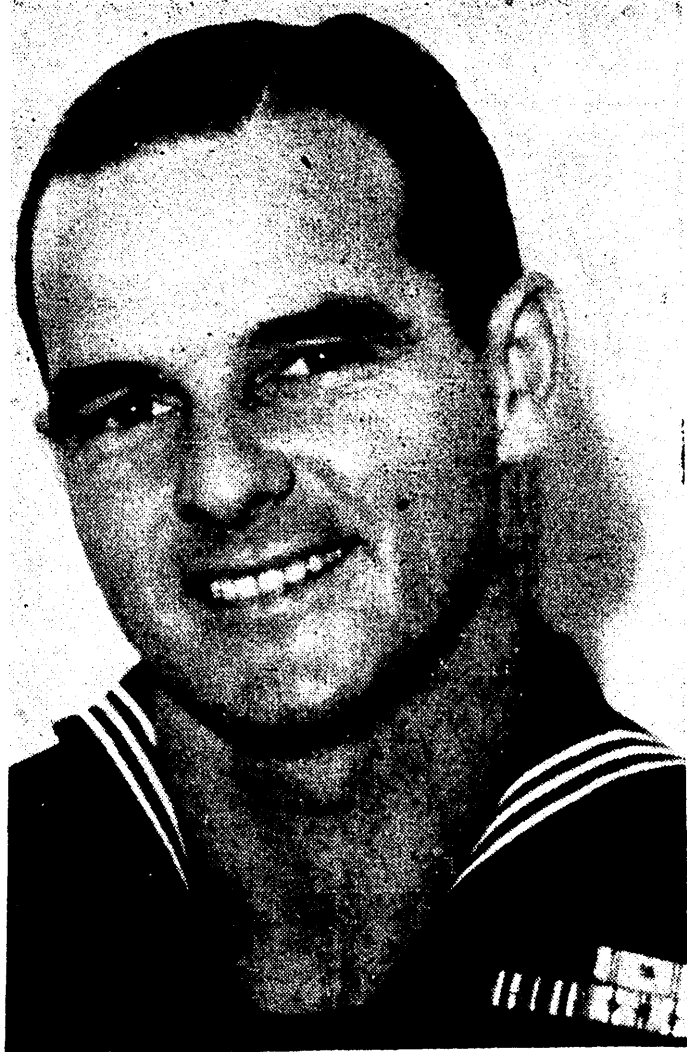
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A group of eight calves from Richland parish placed first in the show and Joe Smith, son of the mayor of Delhi, placed first in a pen of three calves.

D. L. Borman, Jr., parish farm agent, stated that his office is particularly well pleased at the outcome as forming a substantial contribution to the war effort and also has served to emphasize the possibilities for improved livestock as a project for boys and girls to enter into at a time like the present.

Seals spend six or seven months of the year at sea, migrating in great herds.

VISITS HOME



William Martin Johnson, boatswain's mate first class (above), has been visiting his mother, Mrs. W. H. Johnson, 306 Stone avenue, for the past few days. He will return to duty at Bremerton, Wash., April 25. He was born in Monroe and educated in the public schools here, entering the navy 15 years ago. In the present war he has seen service in the far southwest Pacific, and participated in three important naval engagements. His wife and son will remain here for an extended visit before joining him in Bremerton.

MANY TEACHERS HAVE RESIGNED

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Changes In Local
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Warlike conditions have served to cause vacancies in the teaching staffs of both school systems of Monroe. Since last January the parish schools have had the following changes to report:

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Eureka school: Mrs. C. W. Krumm replaces Mrs. W. D. Mayes, resigned.

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Ouachita Parish High school: Has had the following resignations: Kathleen Rolfe, Lavina Fogle (to join the WAVES); Mrs. Miriam Alterman, Mrs. Elizabeth N. Pierrel, John L. Haile, Mrs. Louise F. Pace and Mrs. Virgie Stephens. They were replaced by: Frances Klempeter, Mrs. Frances Yarbrough and Mrs. Josephine Wick.

The damage done some months ago by fire in the Cresley school will be replaced by repair work as soon as the present term ends, it was decided at the last school board meeting held.

CANADIAN CONVOYS

The Canadian navy is conveying more than 40 per cent of the food and war supplies being shipped across the Atlantic.

ANNUAL SCOUT MEET PLANNED

National Officers Will Attend
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TRIDIUM SERVICES ARE TO BE HELD

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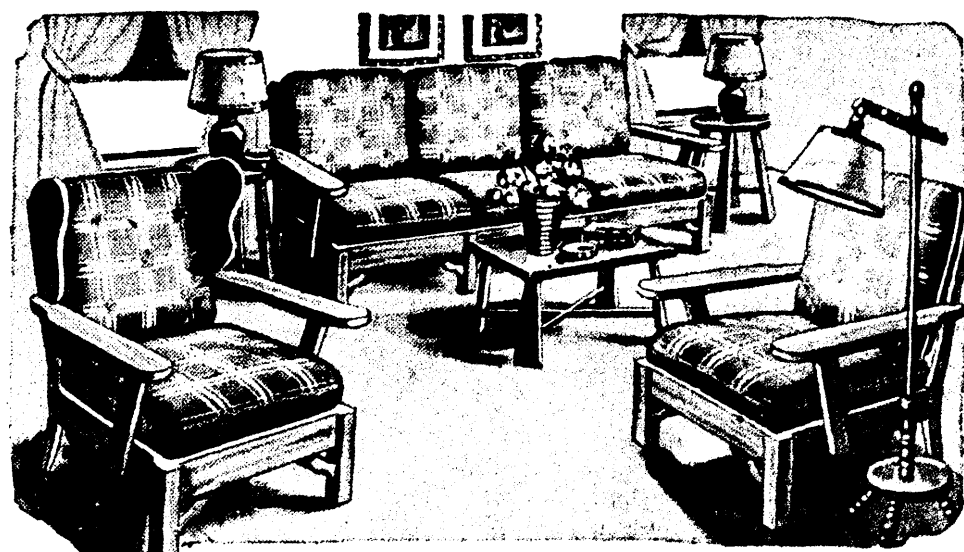
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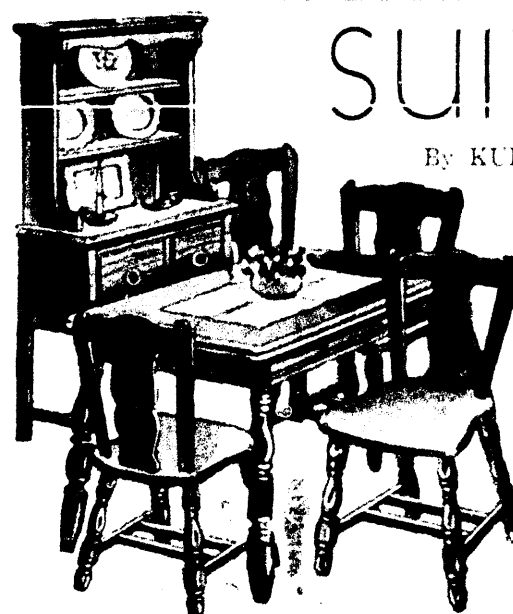
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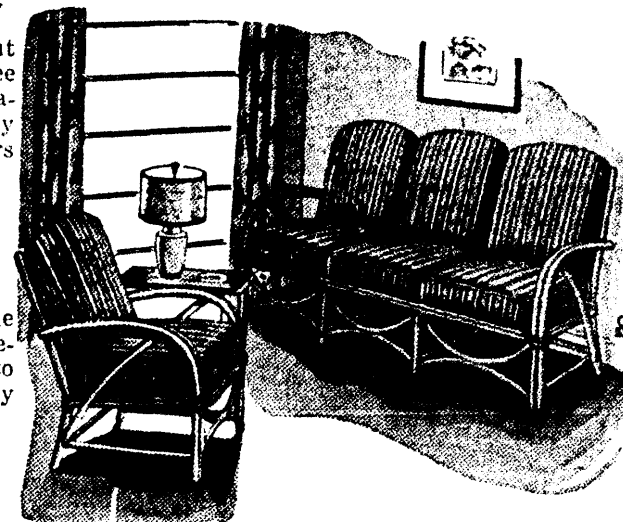
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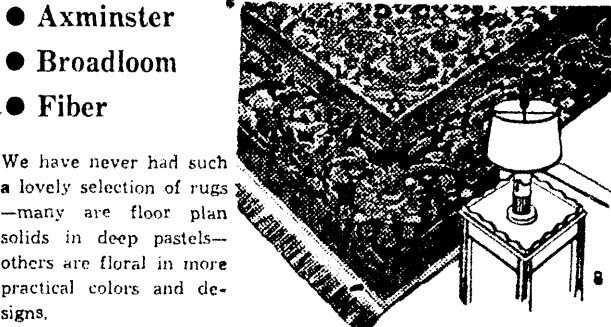
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4-H CLUB SHOWS UP PRIZE STOCK

Everette Zeagles Champion
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—Other Winners

Everette Zeagler, 17, Ouachita parish 4-H club member, took honors at the livestock show in Baton Rouge the past week when his 713 pound steer won the reserve championship. It was sold at 75 cents a pound and netted its owner \$534.75. Everette has been interested in 4-H club work for four years and this year will wind up his work in this group as he will soon be 18 years of age, the deadline for 4-H club classification. He owns the mother of this calf which was sired by a bull of Neal McHenry.

Cecil McMullin, entering a Jersey heifer, won the district championship and he was made richer by just \$102. His cow was second in the state in the milking class. This was the first year that Jersey heifers have been shown at the livestock show by the local group.

Jersey heifers from Ouachita parish placed third as a group in the state. Other winners were: Beef, John Landrum, R. F. D. 3, third place in light heavyweight class; Everette Zeagler entered a calf which placed eighth.

Helen Landrum, R. F. D. 3, placed seventh in medium weight stock; Arnold Zeagler, placed 17th and Buddy Willis of Calhoun was awarded 22nd place for his exhibition. Others in the Jersey calf class were: Ralph Rainer, Lapine, placed fourth; Johnny Kelly, of Calhoun, placed seventh; Mary Rose Pigott, placed eighth; James Ellis Kilpatrick, placed ninth; Jack Avant of Eureka, placed 11th; Lucyle Dear, 12th and Howard Brown 20th.

A group of eight calves from Richland parish placed first in the show and Joe Smith, son of the mayor of Delhi, placed first in a pen of three calves.

D. L. Borman, Jr., parish farm agent, stated that his office is particularly well pleased at the outcome as forming a substantial contribution to the war effort and also has served to emphasize the possibilities for improved livestock as a project for boys and girls to enter into at a time like the present.

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MANY TEACHERS HAVE RESIGNED

War-time Conditions Cause Changes In Local Staffs

War-time conditions have served to cause vacancies in the teaching staffs of both school systems of Monroe. Since last January the parish schools have had the following changes to report:

A. L. Smith school: Mrs. B. E. Wilson replaces Mrs. W. D. McGee, resigned.

Eureka school: Mrs. C. W. Krumm replaces Mrs. W. D. Mayes, resigned.

Okaloosa school: Mrs. G. B. Wilson replaces Mrs. John D. Robertson, Jr., resigned; Joyce Roberts was transferred from Cypress school to replace Mrs. J. E. Garnett, resigned and Mrs. Carrie Rutledge replaces Mrs. H. S. Chilton, transferred to the high school department.

Cypress school: Mrs. J. Blakeney replaces Joyce Roberts, transferred to Okaloosa and Mrs. Maxine Davis replaces Mrs. Ivan D. Owens, resigned. Mrs. Melba Bounds, parish music teacher, resigned to join her husband in the armed forces.

Ouachita Parish High school: Has had the following resignations: Kathleen Rolfe, Lavinia Fogle (to join the WAVES); Mrs. Miriam Alterman, Mrs. Elizabeth N. Pierrel, John L. Haile, Mrs. Louise F. Pace and Mrs. Virgie Stephens. They were replaced by: Frances Klempeter, Mrs. Frances Yarbro and Mrs. Josephine Wick.

The damage done some months ago by fire in the Crosley school will be replaced by repair work as soon as the present term ends, it was decided at the last school board meeting held.

ANNUAL SCOUT MEET PLANNED

National Officers Will Attend Conference At Hotel Virginia

An unusual honor is to be accorded the Ouachita Valley council, Boy Scouts of America, when H. F. Pote, director of the division of personnel and C. N. Miller, assistant director of the division of operations, New York City, will come to Monroe to attend the meeting of region five at the 1943 annual scouters' conference held in Hotel Virginia on Wednesday April 21.

The program, as announced by council President A. B. Clarkson, will be as follows:

10:30 a.m.: General assembly, A. B. Clarkson, presiding. Invocation. Opening remarks: chairman, A. B. Clarkson; announcement nominating committee. Introductions. Greetings: Host president, A. B. Clarkson. Flash reports by Council presidents. Personnel: Discussion Leader H. F. Pote; volunteer—Scoutmasters, cubmasters, etc., commissioners, other scouters; professional.

12:15 p.m.: Fellowship luncheon. Greetings from scout or cub. Address, H. F. Pote.

1:45 p.m.: H. F. Pote will meet with scout executives.

2:00 p.m.: General assembly: A. B. Clarkson, presiding. (Regional committee meets with regional executive for 30 minutes elsewhere.) District administration: Discussion leader, C. N. Miller. Training: Discussion leader, George Simpson. Growth: Discussion leader, C. N. Miller. Award: Reregistrations. Camping: Discussion leader, H. E. Erb. Finance: Discussion leader, C. N. Miller. Open forum. Business: Election of officers.

4:20 p.m.: Closing challenge: H. F. Pote.

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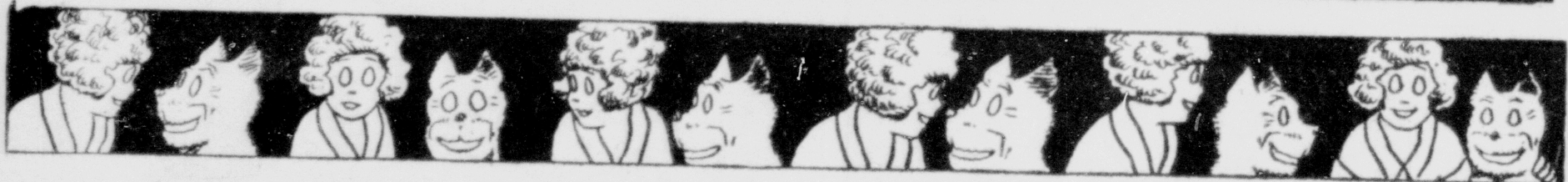
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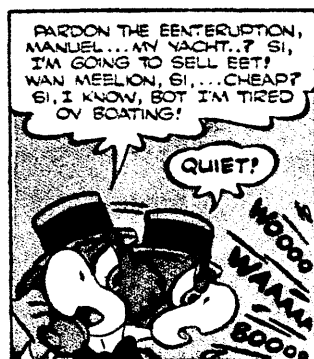
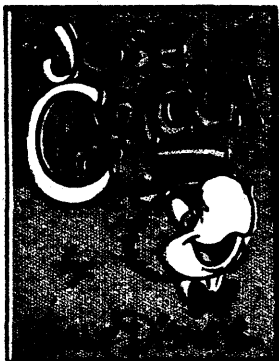
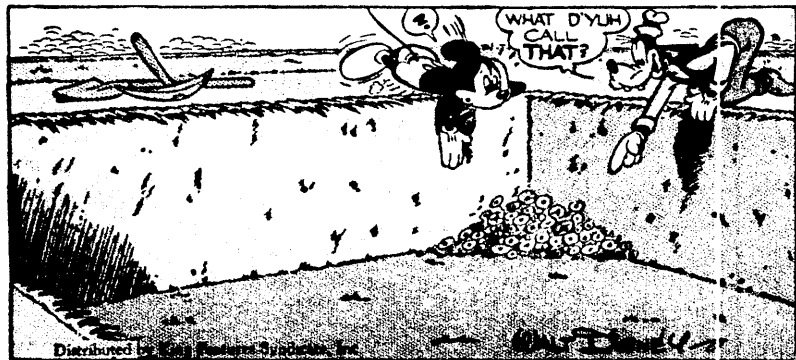
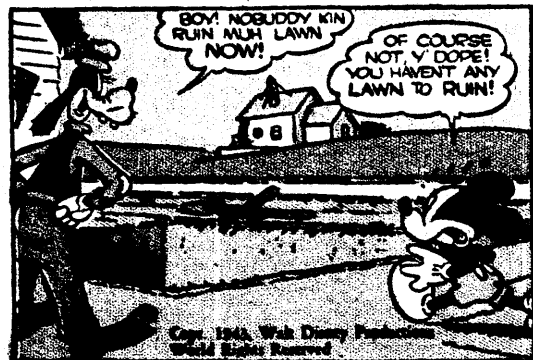
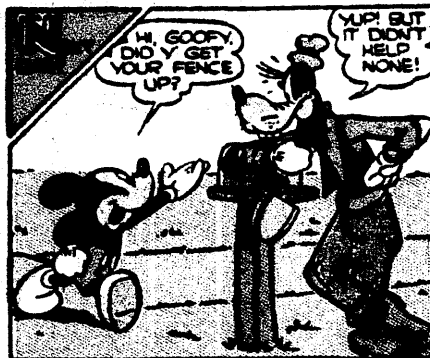
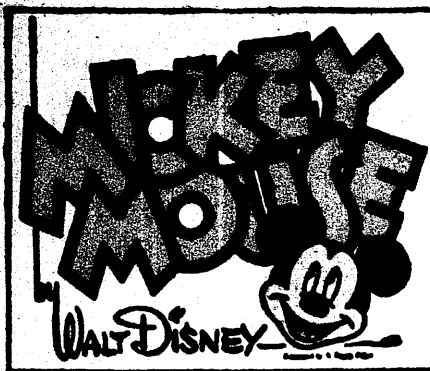
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YEAH, THIS IS THE PLACE, PAT. WELL, COME ON, LET'S GO IN.



WHAT IS THIS THING, TRACY?

OH, APPARENTLY JUST ANOTHER GANGSTER BRAWL — A MAN STABBED TO DEATH. THE CHIEF SAID TO GIVE IT A LOOK SEE.



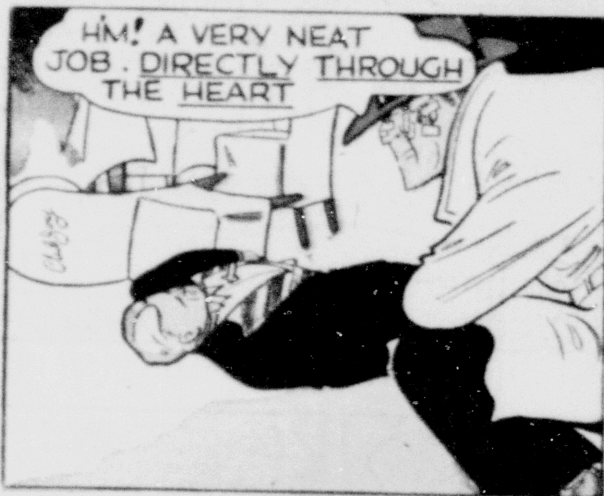
HELLO, TRACY.

—IT WAS DURING THE LAST FLOOR SHOW. THERE WAS A SCREAM. THEN — OH, WHY SHOULD THIS HAPPEN IN MY PLACE!



YOU'RE THE OWNER?

YES — MICKEY JOY'S, THE NAME. I'VE RUN THIS CLUB FOR EIGHT YEARS. NEVER A BLOT OF ANY KIND.



HM! A VERY NEAT JOB. DIRECTLY THROUGH THE HEART.



WHAT'S THAT FELLOW DOING?

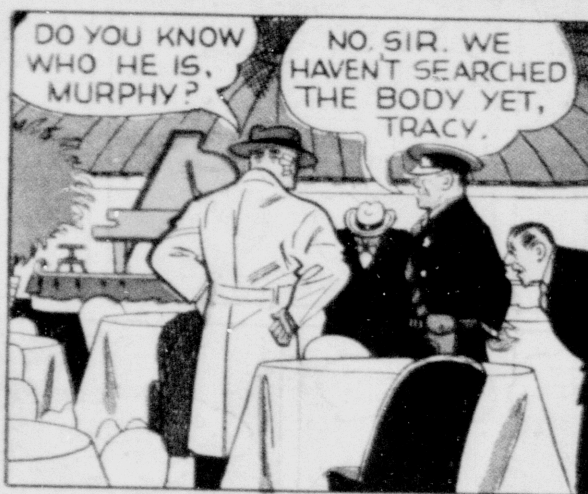
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WELL, TELL HIM TO PIPE DOWN WITH THE NOISE — TILL WE'RE FINISHED.



OKAY, BOSS. SURE THING! BUT "88" KEYES IS GONNA BE KINDA SORE IF THIS BOX AINT IN TUNE.



DO YOU KNOW WHO HE IS, MURPHY?

NO, SIR. WE HAVEN'T SEARCHED THE BODY YET, TRACY.



THIRTY MINUTES LATER IN ANOTHER PART OF TOWN —

I'LL GO.



YEAH, THE COPS ARE THERE "88" BUT EVERYTHING'S FINE. I REMOVED THE WIRE AND SWITCH FROM THE PIANO.

GOOD! JINNY, GIVE TUNER HIS DOUGH.



THERE WAS A GRAND APIECE FOR US, TUNER. IN THAT JOB. NOW, RUN ALONG. I'VE GOT A NEW ARRANGEMENT TO WORK OUT.

THANKS, "88". THANKS.



GENTLEMEN, THIS IS NONE OTHER THAN A B HELMET, PRESIDENT OF THE HELMET PACKING CO.

WHAT? ONE OF THOSE FAMOUS MILLIONAIRE HELMETS?

THAT'S TOO BAD. HE JUST GOT MARRIED. HM —



THE GUMPS

UNCLE BIM!
THE PENDULUM
OPENED!!

WH! THERE'S
A LITTLE PACKAGE
IN IT!!!

EDSON

G-GOLLY! YOU DON'T
SUPPOSE IT'S OLD JOAB
GUMP'S SECRET FORMULA
X-47? OPEN IT QUICK,
UNCLE BIM!

IS IT POSSIBLE THAT,
AFTER ALL THESE
YEARS, YOU'VE
STUMBLED UPON
HIS FAMOUS
FORMULA-

A LETTER! YELLOW
WITH AGE!
GREAT CAESAR!
IT'S SIGNED BY
JOAB GUMP!!!

TO THE FINDER OF THIS DOCUMENT
PROCEED TO LONGITUDE 91° W.
LATITUDE 38° N- THERE YOU WILL
DISCOVER AN ABANDONED LEAD MINE-
DESCEND TO LOWEST LEVEL- TEN PACES
FROM SHAFT ENTRANCE- DIG FOR
FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS-

WAIT! I HAVEN'T FINISHED-
*THE HAND OF DEATH IS UPON
ME- I HAVE NOT TIME TO TURN
MY FORMULA OVER TO THE
AUTHORITIES- YOU, THE FINDER,
WILL HAVE THAT RESPONSIBILITY-
PROCEED WITH CAUTION-
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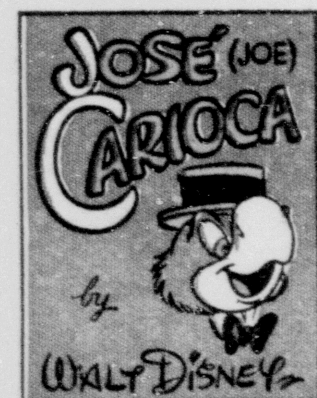
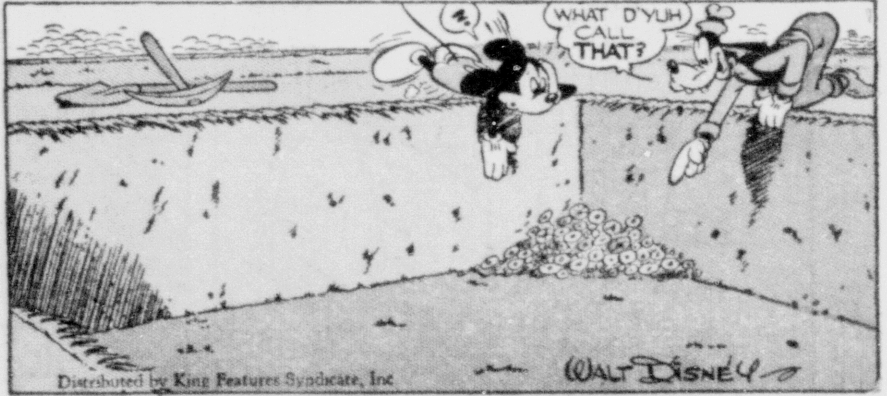
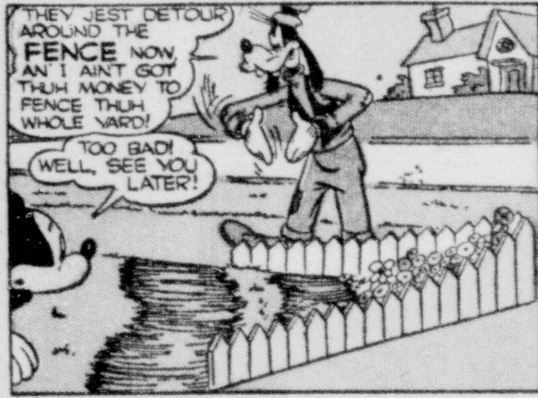
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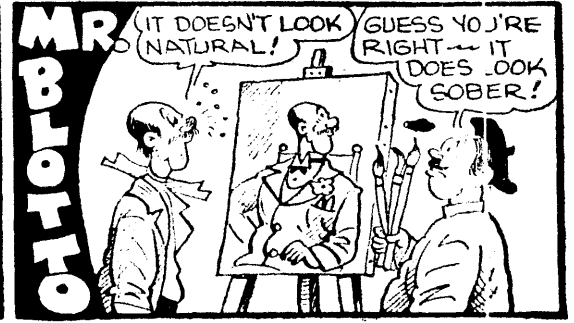
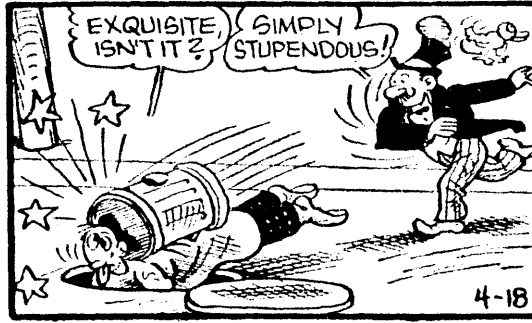
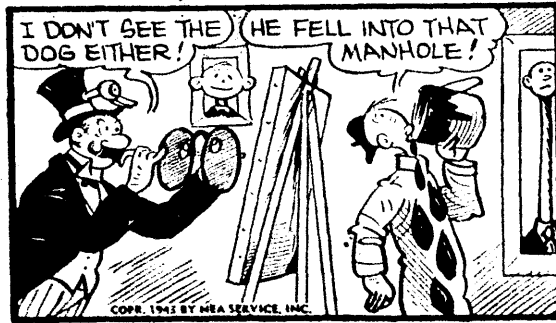
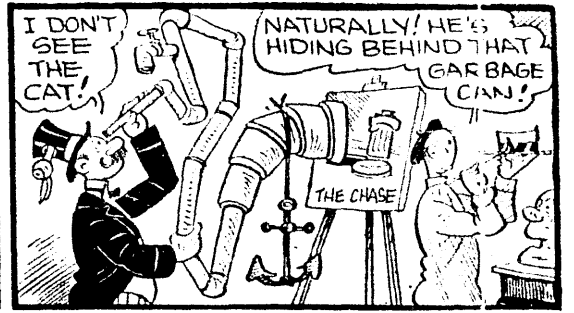
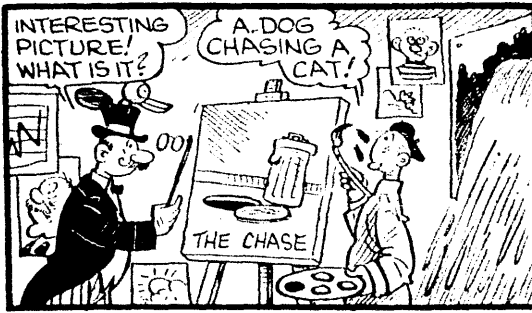
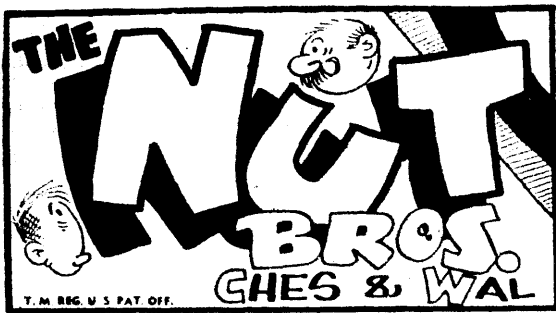
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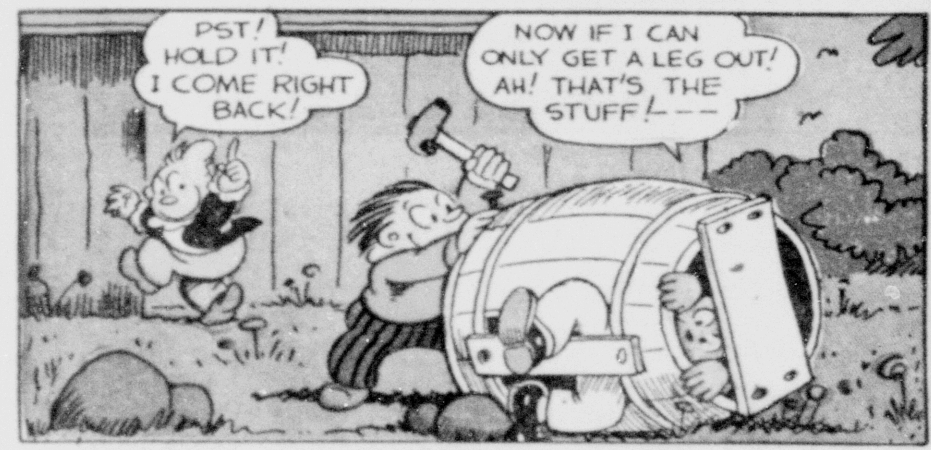
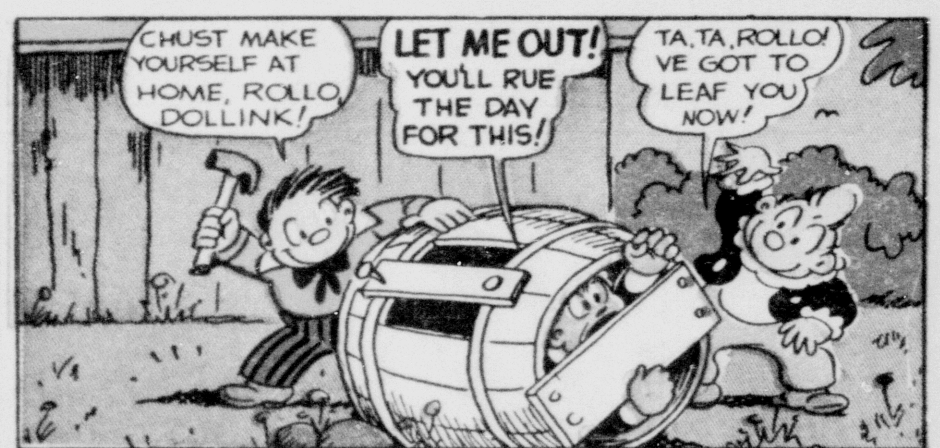
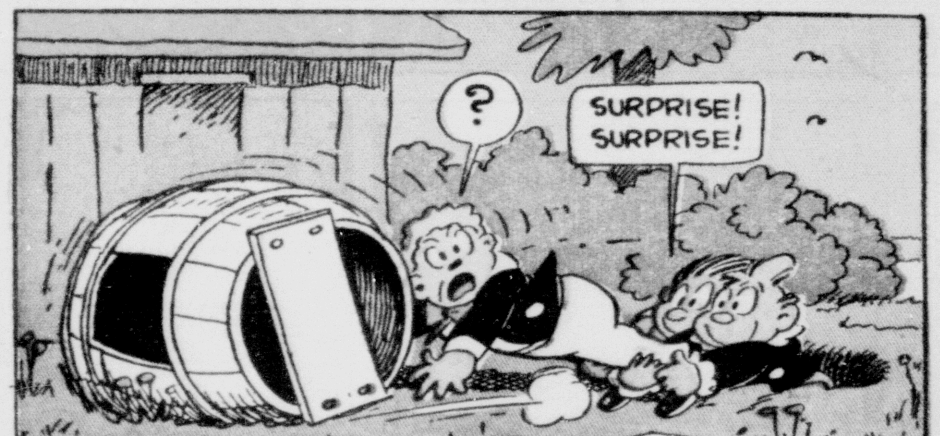
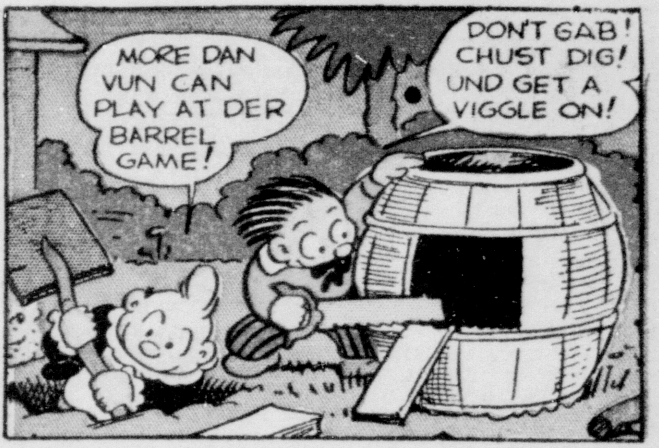
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THE WEATHER THIS WEEK:
FAIR AND WARMER...
WITH RAIN



THE GUMPS

UNCLE BIM!
THE PENDULUM
OPENED!!

WH! THERE'S
A LITTLE PACKAGE
IN IT!!!

GUS
EDSON

G-GOLLY! YOU DON'T
SUPPOSE IT'S OLD JOAB
GUMP'S SECRET FORMULA
X-47? OPEN IT QUICK,
UNCLE BIM!

IS IT POSSIBLE THAT
AFTER ALL THESE
YEARS YOU'VE
STUMBLED UPON
HIS FAMOUS
FORMULA-

A LETTER! YELLOW
WITH AGE!
GREAT CAESAR!
IT'S SIGNED BY
JOAB GUMP!!!

*TO THE FINDER OF THIS DOCUMENT
PROCEED TO LONGITUDE 91°W-
LATITUDE 38°N- THERE YOU WILL
DISCOVER AN ABANDONED LEAD MINE-
DESCEND TO LOWEST LEVEL- TEN PACES
FROM SHAFT ENTRANCE, DIG FOR
FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS-

WAIT! I HAVEN'T FINISHED-
*THE HAND OF DEATH IS UPON
ME-I HAVE NOT TIME TO TURN
MY FORMULA OVER TO THE
AUTHORITIES-YOU, THE FINDER,
WILL HAVE THAT RESPONSIBILITY.
PROCEED WITH CAUTION-
I HAVE DISCOVERED THE MOST
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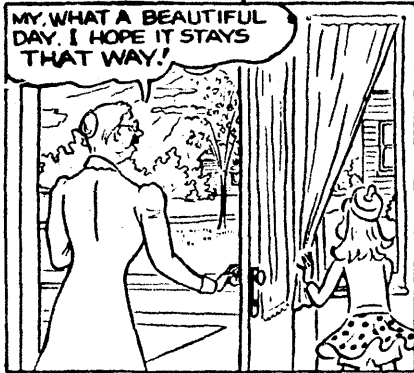
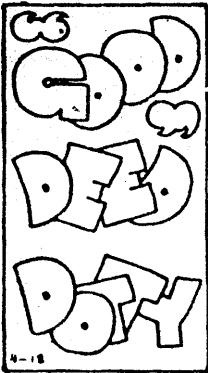
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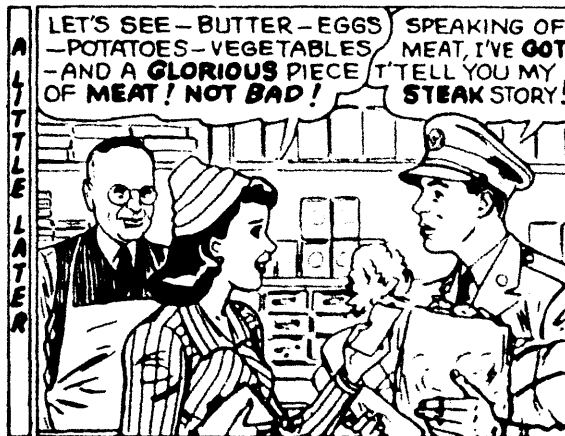
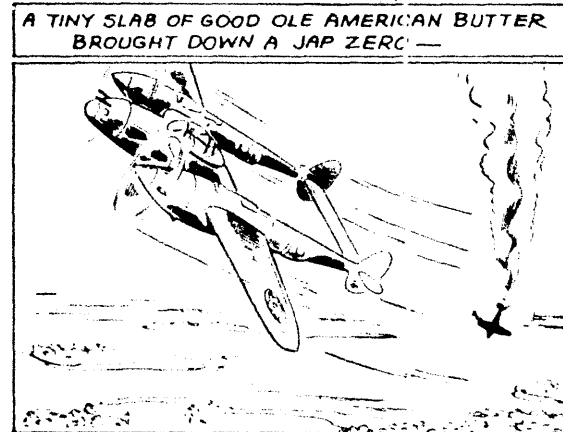
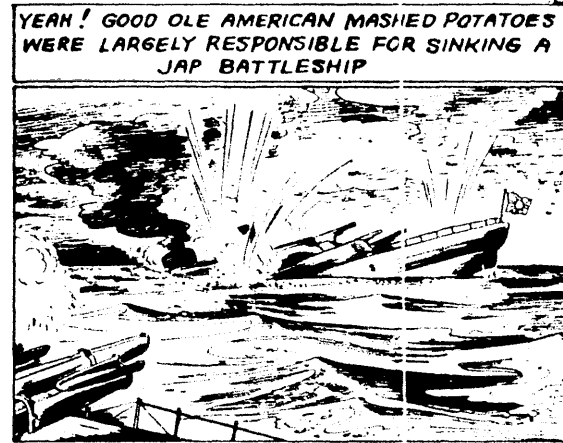
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DIXIE DUGAN

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I WONDER WHAT MAMIE
WILL THINK ABOUT ME
PAYING \$23⁰⁰ FOR THIS
GIFT COUSIN ELMO SENT
ME C.O.D.?

MOON MULLINS by Frank Willard

JUST THE SAME
AS SHE THINKS
ABOUT EVERY
THING YOU DO.

WHERE YOU GONNA
PARK TH' COW,
UNCLE
WILLIE?

I'LL FIND
A PLACE.
YOU HOLD HER,
KAYO - SHE WON'T
RUN AWAY.

HECK! THEN
WHAT'S THE
SENSE OF ME
HOLDIN' HER?

EMMY,
COULD I
SPEAK TO
YOU A
MINUTE?

NO!
DOWNN BY THREE
OLD MILL
STRE-EEE-EAM

IT WAS THEN
I KNEWW.

WHERE I
FIRST MET
YOO-OO-OU

BOOOO!

STOP TRYING
TO BE FUNNY,
KAYO -
WITH YOUR
EYES OF
BLUEEE.

KAYO, STOP BREATHING
ON MY NECK!
IT WAS THEN-NN
I KNEEW

BOOOO!

MY WORD!
DON'T TELL ME
POOR
PLUSHBOTTOM'S
PICKLED AGAIN.

YOW!
GET AWAY
FROM ME,
YOU
BRUTE!!

GET
OUT!

WELL, GIRLIE, IF I
AND YOU HAVE TO SLEEP
ON A PARK BENCH
TONIGHT, YOU GOT
NOBODY BUT KAYO
AND YOURSELF
TO BLAME.

KITTY HIGGINS

YOU GOT
A DIME?

YEH - I STEPPED ON
LORD PLUSHBOTTOM'S FOOT
AND APOLOGIZED AND HE
GIVE ME A
DIME FOR
BEING SO
POLITE.

EASY
MONEY!

KAYO, WHAT ARE YOU TRYIN' TO DO,
KID SOMEBODY?
I TRIED IT ON LADY PLUSHBOTTOM
AND SHE BAWLED ME OUT
SOMETHING
FIERCE.

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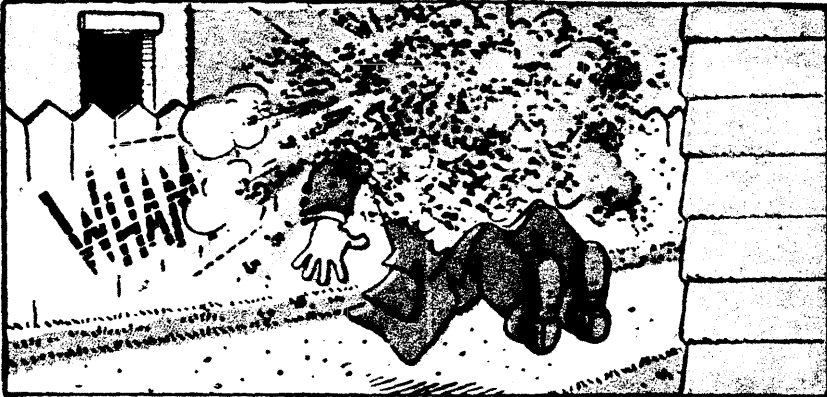
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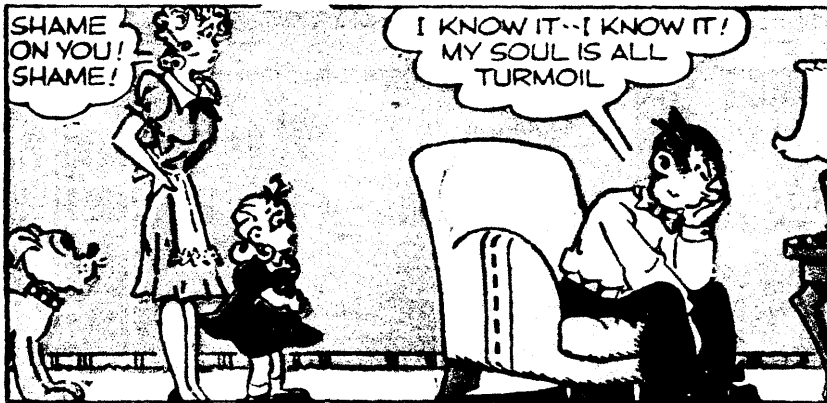
DARLING, WILL YOU THROW THIS PACKAGE OF VACUUM-CLEANER SWEEPINGS OUT IN THE CAN FOR ME?

SURE

OH, BOY, THERE'S HERB WOODLEY, WALKING INTO HIS DRIVEWAY!



NOW, WHY DID I DO THAT? OH, I HATE MYSELF AFTER I GET THOSE FIENDISH IDEAS



SHAME ON YOU! SHAME!

I KNOW IT--I KNOW IT! MY SOUL IS ALL TURMOIL



OH, I WISH MY CONSCIENCE WOULD BOTHER ME BEFORE I DO THESE THINGS, INSTEAD OF AFTER I DO THEM



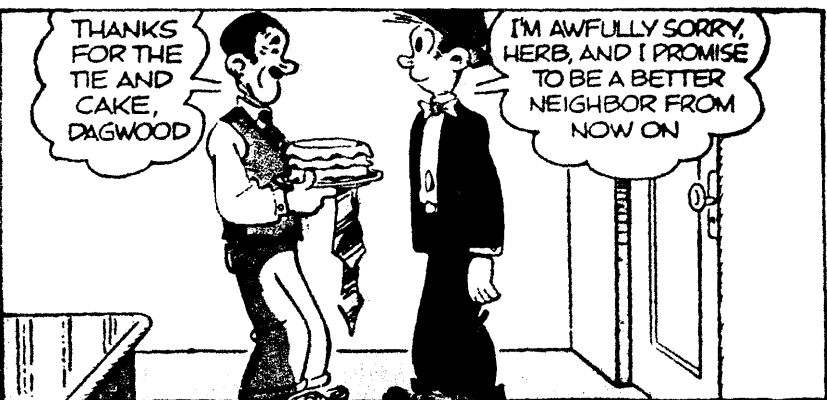
WELL, THERE'S JUST ONE THING YOU CAN DO! GO OVER AND APOLOGIZE TO HERB AND TELL HIM HOW SORRY YOU ARE

I'LL TELL HIM MY MIND SNAPPED FOR A MOMENT



I'LL TAKE HIM THIS NEW TIE OF MINE, AS A PEACE OFFERING

AND TAKE HIM THIS LOVELY CAKE I BAKED FOR YOU



THANKS FOR THE TIE AND CAKE, DAGWOOD

I'M AWFULLY SORRY, HERB, AND I PROMISE TO BE A BETTER NEIGHBOR FROM NOW ON

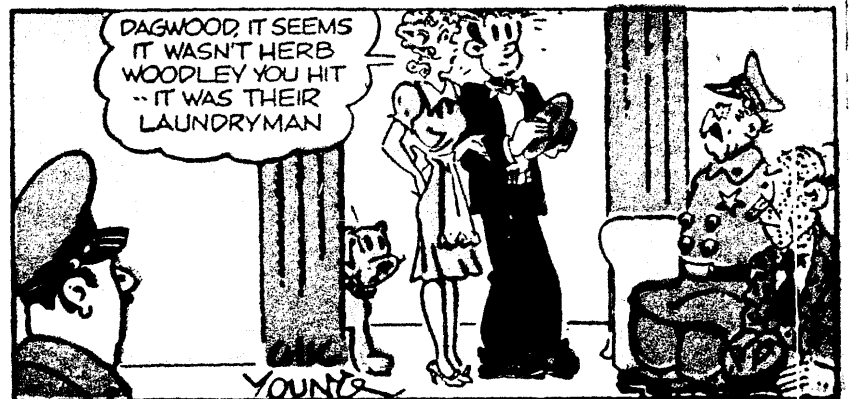


YOU'RE OKAY, DAGWOOD, YOU'RE A GRAND GUY!

I'M GLAD YOU FEEL THAT WAY ABOUT IT-- YOU'RE A PEACH, HERBERT-- A REAL PAL!



AH, NOW, I FEEL BETTER! EVERYTHING IS LOVELY AGAIN! I'M STARTING LIFE WITH A CLEAN SLATE



DAGWOOD, IT SEEMS IT WASN'T HERB WOODLEY YOU HIT-- IT WAS THEIR LAUNDRYMAN

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

MAJOR HOOPLE



LI'L ABNER

by AL CAPP

Advice fo' Chillun

IF YOUR CONSCIENCE BOTHERS YOU, SEE WHAT BUYING WAR STAMPS WILL DO
SENT IN BY DICK JONES OAKLAND, CALIF.

THE ARTISTIC OFFICES OF THE GREAT ZOOT SUIT MANUFACTURING COMPANY

THE ONLY WAY TO MAKE THIS NATION ZOOT SUIT CONSCIOUS IS TO CREATE A GREAT NATIONAL HERO WHO PERFORMS INCREDIBLE DEEDS OF VALOR - ALWAYS DRESSED IN A ZOOT SUIT!!

SO NATURALLY, EVERY RED-BLOODED YOUNG MAN IN AMERICA WILL WANT TO EMULATE THIS HERO. WE'LL SELL MILLIONS OF ZOOT SUITS!!

BUT-WHERE CAN WE FIND SOMEONE STUPID ENOUGH TO CONTINUALLY RISK HIS LIFE TO ADVERTISE OUR PRODUCT?

HM!!-IT'D HAVE TO BE SOMEONE WITH A VERY LOW I.Q.!!

RIGHT!! FIND ME THE MAN WITH THE LOWEST I.Q. IN AMERICA!!

YES, SIR!!

ONE MONTH LATER -

I FOUND HIM DANGLING FROM A TREE IN YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK BOSS!! HE HAS THE LOWEST I.Q. IN AMERICA!!

MAYBE IN THE WORL'D!

MY MAN-ER-YOU ARE A MAN, AREN'T YOU?- YOU CERTAINLY AREN'T IMBECILE ENOUGH TO ACCEPT A JOB THAT MEANS RISKING DEATH, EVERY DAY?

WHO SAYS I'M NOT?-

SPLendid!!-THAT'S THE STUFF!! SIGN YOUR NAME HERE - WITH THIS PEN.

I AIN'T GOT NO NAME. THEY CALLS ME "HEY, YOU!!"-AN' WHAT DOES "SIGN" MEAN?-AN' WHAT'S THIS - SOMETHIN' T'EAT?

NO, NO!!-JUST PLACE IT IN YOUR HAND-LIKE THIS -AND MAKE A MARK--ANY KIND OF A MARK---

HOLD EVERYTHING!!

BOSS!!-I'VE JUST FOUND SOMEONE WITH AN EVEN LOWER I.Q. THAN HIS!!

IT CERTAINLY CAN'T BE HUMAN!!

OH AH IS AS HOOMIN AS TH' NEX' FELLA. AH WERE TOLE THAR WERE SOME QUESTION AS TO WHETHER AH GOT TH' INTELLY-GUNCE T'HANDLE THIS JOB!!-WAL, JEST LISSEN T THIS! TWO AN' TWO IS THREE; THREE AN' THREE IS FO'; FO' AN' FO' IS-IS-GULP! IT'S S-SOMETHIN'!!-OH-MAH BRAIN-IT'S STRAINED!!

YOU'RE FIRED-MORON!!

MORON?-MY-THASS PARTY!!-"MISTAH MORON"-THASS WHAT AH'LL USE FO' A NAME. ALLUS WANTED ONE, MIGHT COME IN HANDY, SOMETIME--

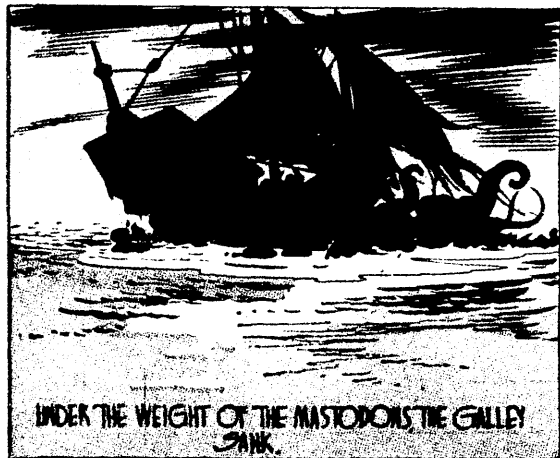
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Buy 2ND WAR LOAN BONDS

Tarzan

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

A TRICKY FOE



UNDER THE WEIGHT OF THE MASTODONS THE GALLEY SANK.



AS THE INVADERS FLOUNDERED IN THE SEA, THE KAHANS PICKED THEM OFF.



"WE REGRET TO SHED BLOOD," SAID A WARRIOR, "BUT THERE'S NO OTHER WAY TO DEAL WITH THESE INVADERS."



NOW PERSUADED THEY HAD TO STAY, THE YOUTH WHO HAD BEEN FORCED TO JOIN THE INVADERS.



NOW THE APE-MAN NOTED THAT SOME OF THE OTHER GALLEYS HAD ELUDED THE KAHIAN DEFENSE BARGES.



THE AGGRESSORS WERE SWARMING ASHORE ON AN UNPROTECTED BEACH.



THE KAHANS FEARED THEY WOULD STRIKE STRAIGHT THROUGH TO THE SHRINE OF THE PRECIOUS BRIGHT SHINING JEWEL.



"GO, CALL UP YOUR MEN AND BEASTS OF WAR," TARZAN ORDERED.



"THERE ARE NOT ENOUGH," A KAHIAN REPLIED, "MOST OF OUR WARRIORS ARE IN THE BARGES."



FOR SAFETY, TARZAN DEPOSITED ELNA HIGH IN A TREE.

"HOGARTH."



THEN WITH THE SMALL BAND OF KAHANS HE SET OFF THROUGH THE JUNGLE TO INTERCEPT THE MARAUDERS. NEXT WEEK: BEASTS OF BATTLE

They give their lives **BUY 2nd War Loan BONDS** you lend your money

SMILIN' JACK

IN SPITE OF ALL TH' CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE, CAPTAIN JACK STILL DOESN'T THINK YOU SABOTAGED HIS PLANE--ARE YOU TRYING TO PROTECT SOME-ONE WAGON-WHEELS?

NO, SIR-- I'M JUS' PLAIN GUILTY! I'VE BEEN SENTENCED TO BE SHOT AN' I'LL TAKE MY MEDICINE LIKE A MAN!

MEANWHILE, JACK'S BROTHER, STRETCH, HAVING BEEN ASSIGNED TO A COMBAT CREW IS ALSO ON HIS WAY TO AFRICA--

STRETCH, LOOK! YOU'RE CRUISING OUR ENGINES AT A MANIFOLD PRESSURE OF 40 INCHES--ARE YOU TRYIN' TO BLOW 'EM UP-- YOU ACT LIKE YOU'RE IN A FOG--

I AM, SIR-- MY WIFE IS GOING TO BE A MOTHER ANY DAY NOW--

I KNOW WHAT A POOR FATHER GOES THROUGH-- I'VE GOT THREE KIDS MYSELF--

STRETCH'S INTUITION IS RIGHT-- CHERRY HAS JUST TRIED TO CALL A DOCTOR, BUT THE ONE THAT DID PRACTICE IN HER TOWN, JOINED THE ARMY THE DAY BEFORE--



THE NEAREST HOSPITAL IS A HUNDRED MILES AWAY. CHERRY'S MOTHER, CINDY, CALLS HER FRIEND MIMI, A MEMBER OF THE RED CROSS MOTOR CORPS, AND THEY RUSH CHERRY TO A NEARBY CIVIL AIR PATROL BASE TO GET A PLANE--



AT THE BASE THEY FOUND THAT ALL THE PILOTS WERE OUT ON A RESCUE MISSION AND THE ONLY PLANE AVAILABLE HAD A FLAT TIRE--

THE OPERATIONS OFFICER SAYS THE TIRE IS BEYOND REPAIR BUT THAT CINDY CAN FLY THE PLANE IF SHE CAN FIGURE OUT A WAY--

CINDY WANTS THIS TIRE FILLED WITH SAND WILL IT WORK, KRUGGY?

IT HAS BEEN DONE IN EMERGENCIES BEFORE, BOCKY!

CHERRY, MIMI AN' CINDY ARE READY TO TAKE-OFF

CINDY, WON'T THE SAND FLY OUT AND CAUSE THE TIRE TO ROLL OFF AS WE SPEED DOWN TH' RUN-WAY--

WE WON'T HAVE TO RUN FAR, MIMI!

YOU SEE, I'VE GOT THE PROP IN FLAT PITCH-- AM RUNNING TH' MOTOR FULL GUN AND HOLDING TH' BRAKES-- NOW, AS I SUDDENLY RELEASE TH' BRAKES--

-- WE ONLY RUN A SHORT DISTANCE AND PRACTICALLY JUMP OFF THE GROUND-- OOOOP!

BUT WHAT ABOUT COMING DOWN-- YOU CAN'T LAND ON SUCH A TIRE?

THAT'S EASY-- I'LL LAND ON THE GOOD WHEEL-- I USED TO DO A ONE-WHEEL LANDING ACT AT TH' CLEVELAND AND MIAMI AIR RACES--

-- BUT I THOUGHT MY STUNT FLYING DAYS WERE OVER-- I ALWAYS FIGURED THAT WHEN TH' TIME CAME FOR ME TO BE A GRAND-MOTHER--

CAPT. JACK MOSLEY, KODAK PHOTOS

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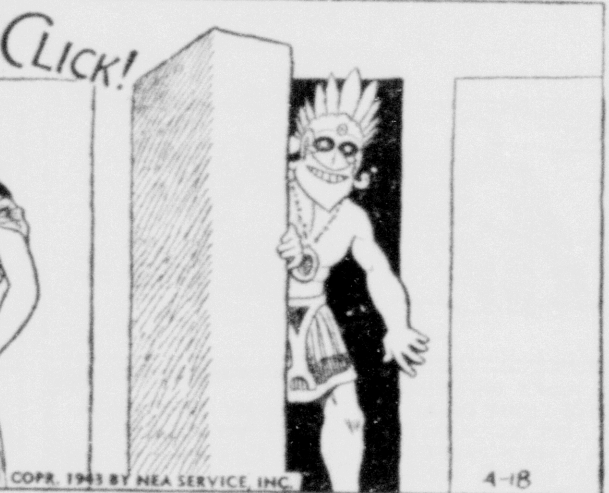


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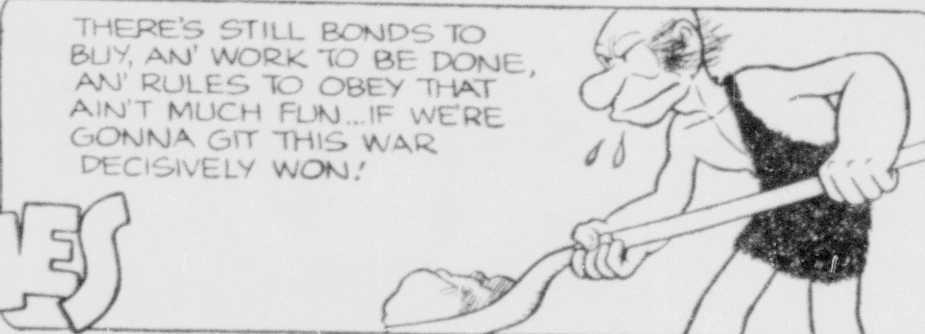


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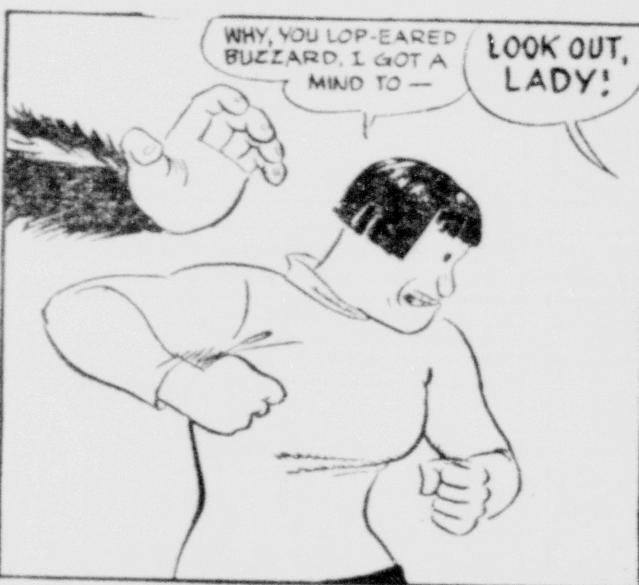
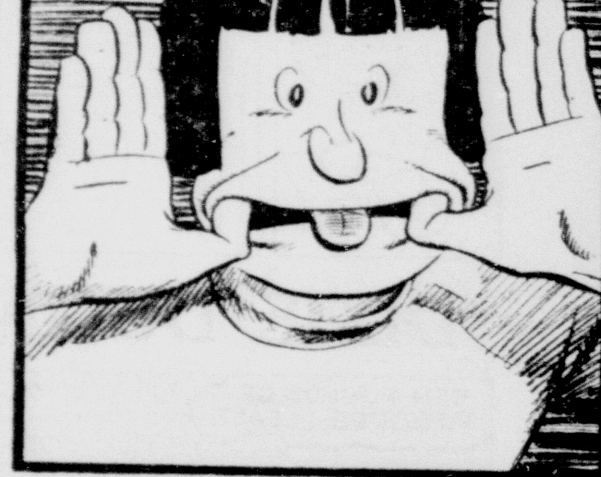
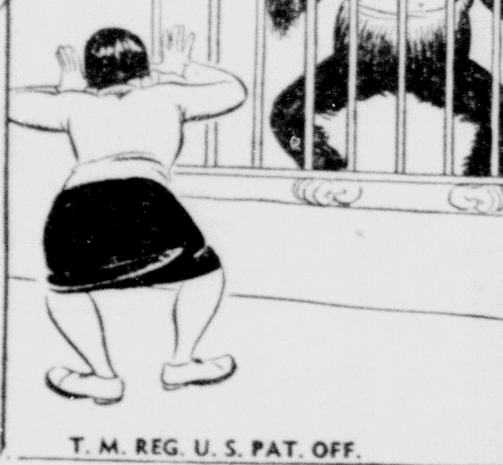


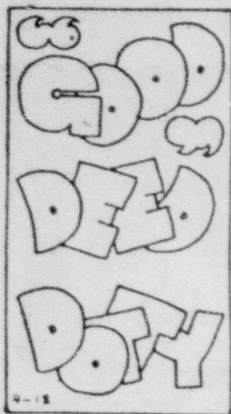
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THE WEATHER THIS WEEK:
FAIR AND WARMER...
WITH RAIN



LOOPY By ROY CRANE





DIXIE DUGAN

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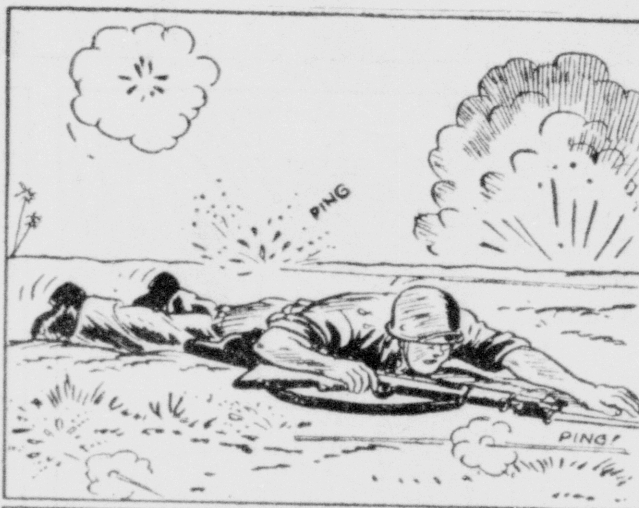
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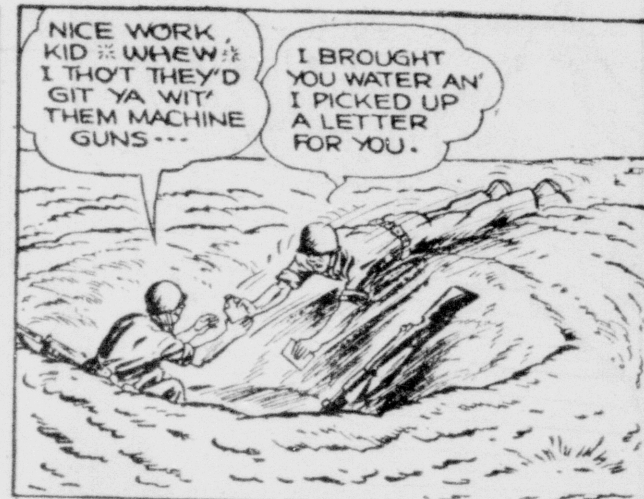
HE'S CAUGHT OUT THERE BETWEEN OUR LINES. HE'LL BE ALMOST DYIN' OF THIRST, SIR.

YOU'RE A BRAVE MAN, JOE. IT'S AWFULLY DANGEROUS--- BUT YOU HAVE MY PERMISSION.



PING

PING!



NICE WORK, KID! WHEW! I THOT THEY'D GIT YA WIT' THEM MACHINE GUNS---

I BROUGHT YOU WATER AN' I PICKED UP A LETTER FOR YOU.



OH BOY! GEE YOU WAS SWELL T'DO IT. IT'S FROM MY GOIL IN BROOKLYN-- THE ONE I'M INGAGED TO I MEAN.



LOOKS LIKE THERE'S GONNA BE A ATTACK.



JERRY-- HERE THEY COME-- GRAB YOUR GUN!

HOKY SMOKES!



'WE'RE SURE IN A TIGHT SPOT.

SOON AS IT GIT'S DARK WE'LL DUCK OUTA HERE --- THERE'S STILL A FLOCK OF 'EM.



C'MON, JERRY--- HURRY!!



THEY'LL ATTACK AGAIN IN THE DARK WHEN THEY DO--- THEY'LL GET A SUPPRISE.

I HATE T'THINK OF US RETREATIN' FROM THEM BUMS.



WE AIN'T RETREATIN'. WE'RE USIN' BRAINS. WE'LL BE BACK IN OUR OWN LINES BEFORE THEY KNOW WE'RE GONE.

H-HOKY SMOKES-- OH MY GOSH--- OHHH---



WHAT'S A MATTER-- ARE YOU WOUNDED-- WHAT IS IT, JERRY?

I FERGOT MY GOIL'S LETTER AN' I DINT EVEN READ IT.



JERRY-- COME BACK HERE YA FOOL-- JERRY---

WAIT FER ME, JOEY--- I'M GONNA GIT IT.

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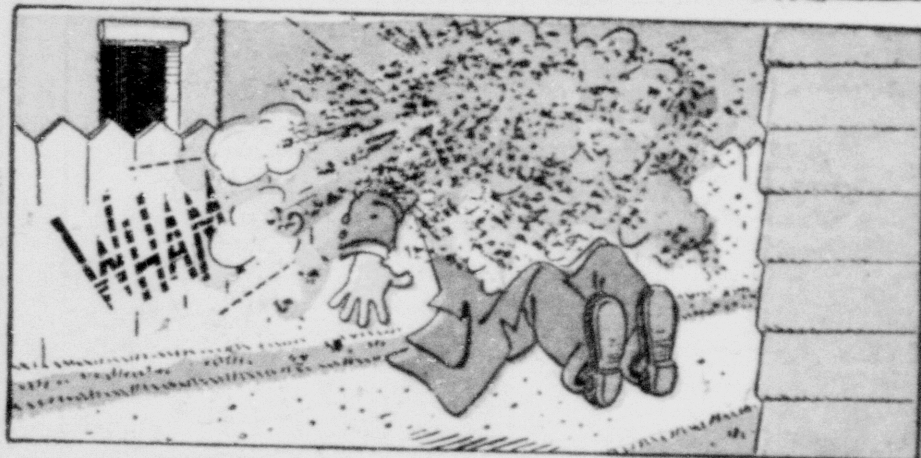
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DARLING, WILL YOU THROW THIS PACKAGE OF VACUUM-CLEANER SWEEPINGS OUT IN THE CAN FOR ME?

SURE

OH, BOY, THERE'S HERB WOODLEY WALKING INTO HIS DRIVEWAY!



NOW, WHY DID I DO THAT? OH, I HATE MYSELF AFTER I GET THOSE FIENDISH IDEAS



SHAME ON YOU! SHAME!

I KNOW IT--I KNOW IT! MY SOUL IS ALL TURMOIL

OH, I WISH MY CONSCIENCE WOULD BOTHER ME BEFORE I DO THESE THINGS, INSTEAD OF AFTER I DO THEM

WELL, THERE'S JUST ONE THING YOU CAN DO! GO OVER AND APOLOGIZE TO HERB AND TELL HIM HOW SORRY YOU ARE

I'LL TELL HIM MY MIND SNAPPED FOR A MOMENT

I'LL TAKE HIM THIS NEW TIE OF MINE, AS A PEACE OFFERING

AND TAKE HIM THIS LOVELY CAKE I BAKED FOR YOU

THANKS FOR THE TIE AND CAKE, DAGWOOD

I'M AWFULLY SORRY, HERB, AND I PROMISE TO BE A BETTER NEIGHBOR FROM NOW ON

YOU'RE OKAY, DAGWOOD, YOU'RE A GRAND GUY!

I'M GLAD YOU FEEL THAT WAY ABOUT IT-- YOU'RE A PEACH, HERBERT-- A REAL PAL!

AH, NOW, I FEEL BETTER! EVERYTHING IS LOVELY AGAIN! I'M STARTING LIFE WITH A CLEAN SLATE

DAGWOOD, IT SEEMS IT WASN'T HERB WOODLEY YOU HIT-- IT WAS THEIR LAUNDRYMAN

FLASH GORDON

BY
**ALEX
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FLASH AND GUNDAR HAVE INTERCEPTED BRAZOR AND HURLED TWO GROUPS OF MEN AT THE HEAD OF HIS ARMORED COLUMN, THEIR OBJECT BEING TO SCATTER HIS FORCES--

AFTER THE FIRST FEINT, THE OUTLAWS RETREAT, DRAWING PURSUING UNITS AWAY FROM THE MAIN FORCES--



ON A HIGH VANTAGE POINT, FLASH GRIPS THE OUTLAW CHIEFTAIN'S SHOULDER: "IT'S WORKING! THERE ARE ONLY TWO CARS LEFT TO GUARD THE KING'S! THROW YOUR MAIN FORCE AGAINST HIM NOW!" GUNDAR GRINS, AS HE RAISES HIS SONOBEAM HORN TO HIS LIPS: "BY MY BEARD, FLASH, YOU'RE A BORN MILITARY MAN!"



FROM ALL DIRECTIONS, GUNDAR'S HORDES CONVERGE ON BRAZOR'S FORCES, SHOWERING GRENADES AND RAY-FIRE ON THE LUMBERING, METALITE MONSTERS. IN THE NARROW MOUNTAIN DEFILE, THE KING IS AT A DISADVANTAGE--



WITH HIS TWO PROTECTING ARMORED CARS BLASTED OUT OF ACTION AND HIS OWN ARMOR BECOMING UNCOMFORTABLY HOT, BRAZOR WHIRLS HIS CAR ABOUT AND MAKES A DASH FOR FREEDOM!



"HE'S BROKEN OUT OF THE TRAP!" SHOUTS FLASH, "I'VE GOT TO STOP HIM!" "DON'T BE A FOOL!" ROARS GUNDAR, "YOU CAN'T DO IT BY YOURSELF!"

NEXT
WEEK!

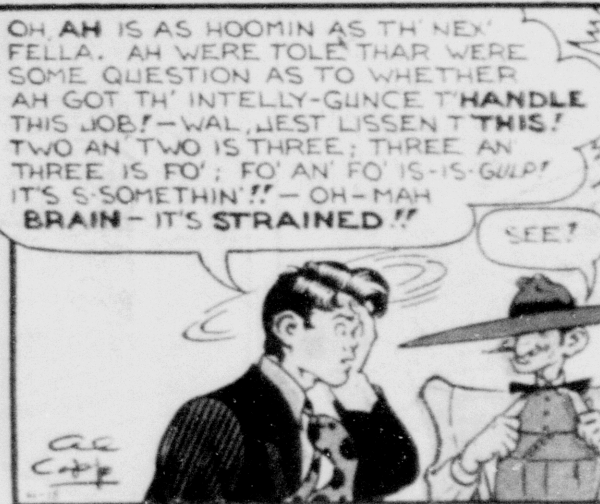
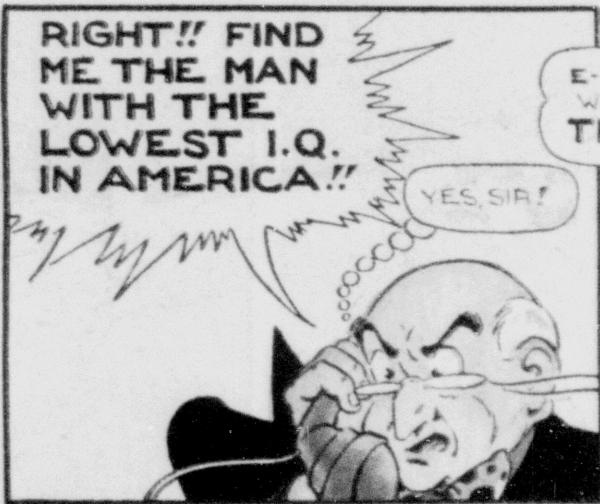
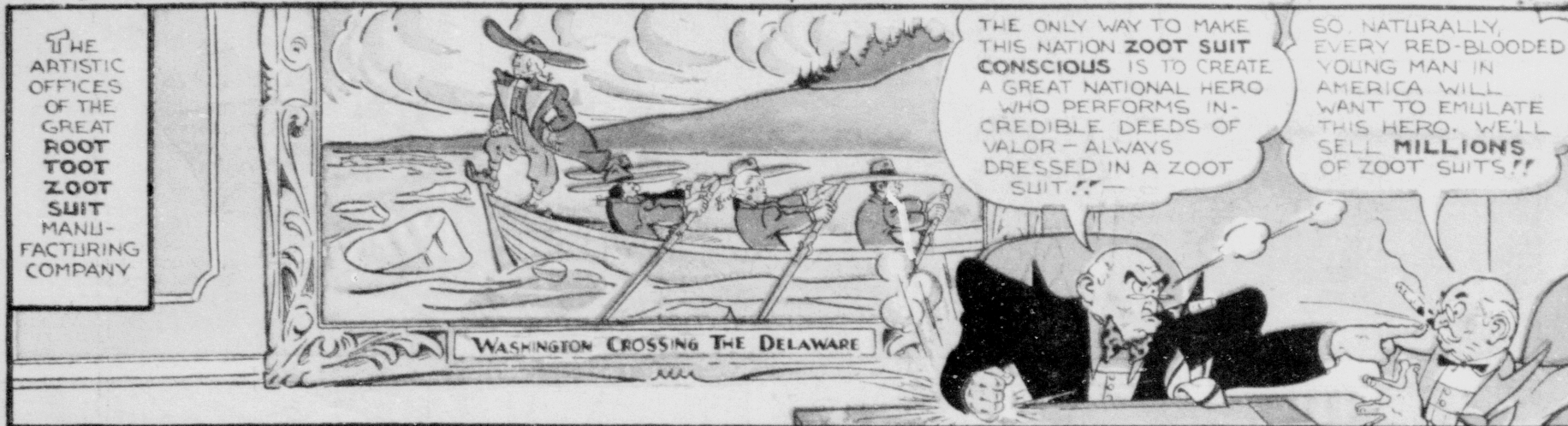
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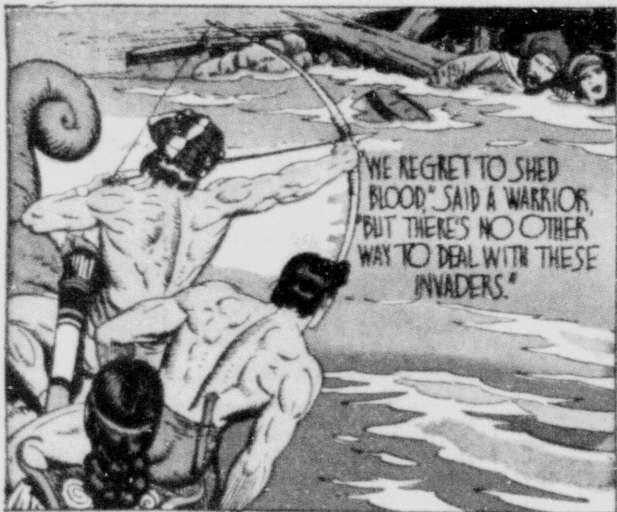
A TRICKY FOE



UNDER THE WEIGHT OF THE MASTODONS THE GALLEY SANK.



AS THE INVADERS FLOUNDERED IN THE SEA, THE KAHIANS PICKED THEM OFF.



"WE REGRET TO SHED BLOOD," SAID A WARRIOR, "BUT THERE'S NO OTHER WAY TO DEAL WITH THESE INVADERS."



TARZAN PERSUADED THEM, HOWEVER, TO SPARE THE YOUTHS WHO HAD BEEN FORCED TO JOIN THE INVADERS.



NOW THE APE-MAN NOTED THAT SOME OF THE OTHER GALLEYS HAD ELUDED THE KAHIAN DEFENSE BARGES.



THE AGGRESSORS WERE SWARMING ASHORE ON AN UNPROTECTED BEACH.



THE KAHIANS FEARED THEY WOULD STRIKE STRAIGHT THROUGH TO THE SHRINE OF THE PRECIOUS BRIGHT SHINING JEWEL.



"GO, CALL UP YOUR MEN AND BEASTS OF WAR," TARZAN ORDERED.



"THERE ARE NOT ENOUGH," A KAHIAN REPLIED, "MOST OF OUR WARRIORS ARE IN THE BARGES."



FOR SAFETY, TARZAN DEPOSITED ELNA HIGH IN A TREE.

• HOGARTH •



THEN WITH THE SMALL BAND OF KAHIANS HE SET OFF THROUGH THE JUNGLE TO INTERCEPT THE MARAUDERS. NEXT WEEK: BEASTS OF BATTLE



They give their lives

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